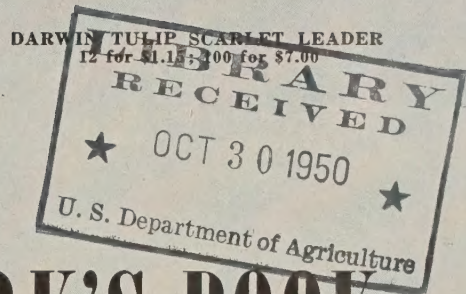


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PARK'S BOOK *of* AUTUMN-1950



GEO. W. PARK SEED CO.

Always Dependable—Since 1868

GREENWOOD, SOUTH CAROLINA

GIANT DARWIN TULIP

Prize Cover Collections
Scarlet Leader, scarlet
The Bishop, blue
Aristocrat, pink
Niphetos, lemon yellow
Duke of Wellington,
white

(F22) 6 of each
30 bulbs \$2.75
(F23) 12 of each
60 bulbs \$5.25
(F24) 25 of each
125 bulbs \$10.00



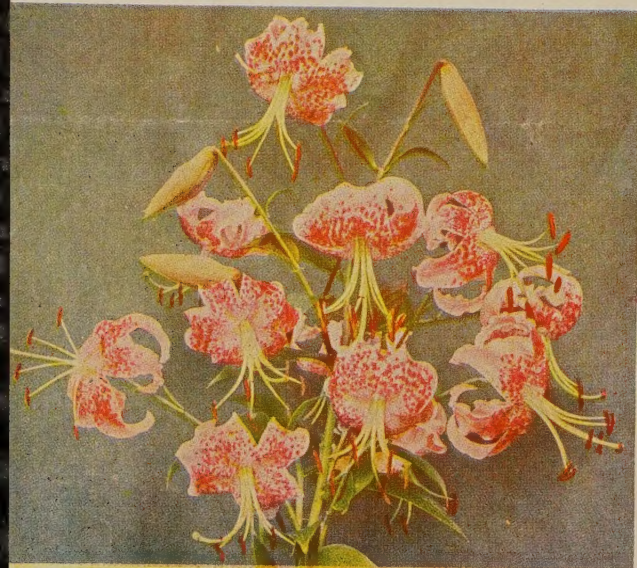
Darwin Tulip—The Bishop
3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$8.75



Darwin Tulip—Aristocrat
3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15;
100 for \$7.50



Darwin Tulip—Niphetos
3 for 35c; 12 for 90c; 100 for \$6.00



Lily Speciosum Rubrum. 65c ea.; 3 for \$1.75; 12 for \$5.75.
See page 15 for 23 kinds of Lilies



Largest, Earliest of all Tulips
Fosteriana Red Emperor
3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00



Parrot Tulips—Clowns of the Garden
Top—Blue Parrot. 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$6.60
Bottom—Therese. 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00



Lily Regale, Queen of Lilies
Top size bulbs 8-9"—35c ea.; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.45
Medium size bulbs—3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.95



Rare, Fragrant Iris Reticulata—Will bloom for Christmas indoors.
Hardy outdoors, blooms before Crocus. 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$5.00.
DUTCH IRIS Special Mixture. 25 for 75c; 100 for \$2.25. See pg. 14.

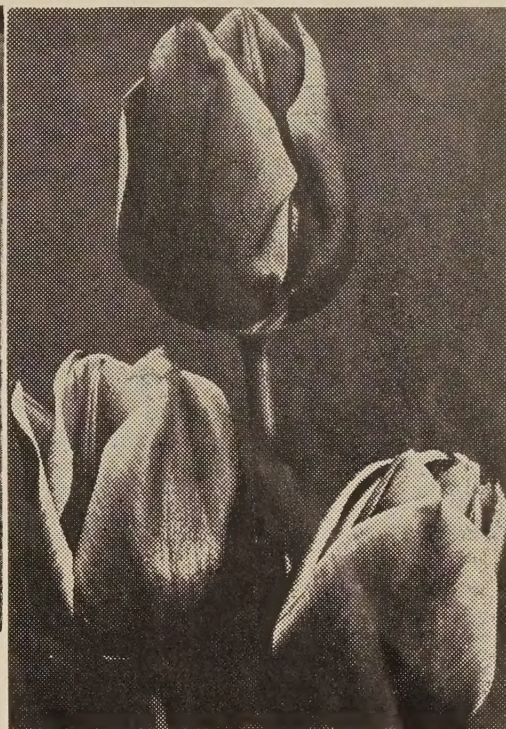
Holland's Beauty and Romance
for Your Own Garden

GIANT LATE DARWIN TULIPS

"The ARISTOCRATS OF TULIPDOM"—The mainstay of the Tulip Planting. Perfect cup-shaped flowers, fleshy petals, tall stems, lovely clear colors—The Darwins are unsurpassed for planting in masses in beds or borders; delightful in groups of 12 or more here and there among the hardy perennials or shrubbery; lovely for cutting.

Under this heading we are offering the best of the standard, well known varieties as well as a group of new varieties sometimes classed separately as Ideal Darwins. (These are designated "Ideal.") Figures indicate Height in inches under normal growing conditions.

All Tulip bulbs offered are 1st size—11-12 CM—Highest quality. Guaranteed to bloom.



Darwin Tulip Clara Butt—Pink

SPLENDID DARWIN TULIPS MIXED

For a beautiful effect in the garden • For a wealth of flowers to cut. First Size bulbs in well-proportioned, bright and striking mixture.

12 for 85c

100 for \$5.50

25 for \$1.50

Park's Twelve Best Darwin Varieties

For the guidance of those who wish to select the very best of the many Darwin varieties.

ARISTOCRAT. 30". Large. Sparkling deep rose, silvery rose edges. The inside has copper yellow edges. Yellow center. Bordered blue, purple anthers with yellow pollen. Stem is stiff and rigid. Extra good for garden planting. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

DUKE OF WELLINGTON. "Ideal" 28". An outstanding pure white flower of perfect form and character. Cream anthers and base, stiff stem. Long petals keep closed in cup shape for a long period. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

GOLDEN MEASURE. 30". Exceptionally large, superior in every way is this giant egg shaped flower. Inside is golden yellow, outside somewhat lighter, with tiny contrasting red edge. Distinct, new, beautiful. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

GRULLEMAN'S GIANT. "Ideal" 30". (Award of Merit) Bright salmon orange, with broad dark orange border, showing a great deal of orange inside the bloom. Cup-shaped flower with slightly reflexing petals of great substance. One of the best; an unusual color. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$9.00.

GLACIER. (Wildlust) "Ideal", 30". (First Class Certificate, London.) A giant among white tulips, white base and anthers, straight stems. Oval shaped flower of great substance, does not open wide as most tulips do. Will last three weeks in the garden or when cut. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$9.00.

NIPHETOS. "Ideal" 30". (Award of Merit) Magnificent lemon-yellow, slowly changing to light ivory-yellow when fully grown. Light base, yellow anthers. Petals are of remarkable texture, outer petals beautifully recurved. 3 for 35c; 12 for 90c; 100 for \$6.00.

PINK DELIGHT. 30". New. Large cupshaped flowers of brilliant pink are borne on strong sturdy stems. Ideal for garden or for cutting. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$9.00.

SUNKIST. 30". Brilliant, clear golden yellow throughout. Petals are of unusual thickness enabling it to survive the most undesirable weather and have excellent lasting quality. 3 for 35c; 12 for 90c; 100 for \$6.00.

REINE DE NAPLES. 32". New. Lively cherry red with scarlet glow, big white base. Tall and sturdy with a most attractive color. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

SCARLET LEADER. 30". Vivid scarlet shaded blood-red. Base is bronze edged white. Large goblet shaped flower of good substance. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.00.

INSURPASSABLE. "Ideal". 30". Award of Merit. A mammoth orchid colored tulip. Lilac mauve ribbed with white, of excellent substance. The flower is 3 times larger than Wm. Copeland and one of the loveliest tulips. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.00.

WILLIAM TELL. (Wilhelm Tell) "Ideal". Uniform pure raspberry-rose with slightly lighter flush on edge of petals; inside is rich salmon-cerise. Center is white, anthers black. We consider this the finest rose-pink tulip in existence. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$9.00.

TWELVE BEST COLLECTION. (F1) 9 each of the 12 best varieties listed above—108 bulbs for \$9.00. (F2) 5 each of 12 best varieties above—60 bulbs for \$5.00. (F3) 3 each of 12 best varieties above—36 bulbs for \$3.35.

TWELVE MORE OUTSTANDING DARWIN TULIPS

Besides the exceptional varieties above, the following twelve magnificent varieties give you an opportunity to acquaint yourself with all the worth-while Darwin varieties. All are outstanding in size, color and shape.

BARTIGON MAXIMUS. 26". Large flowers of fiery crimson with bright scarlet margin. A sport of the regular Bartigon, and like it except that it is much larger. 3 for 25c; 12 for 90c; 100 for \$6.00.

CHARLES NEEDHAM. 28". For simple, unadulterated emphasis, this blood-red Darwin has no superior. The color is so dominant it should be used only with white or yellow. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

CITY OF HAARLEM. 31". Intense deep scarlet. The dark violet base is outlined in white giving a striking effect when open. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

CLARA BUTT. 22". Clear bright pink, flushed salmon rose. A favorite pink, lovely in the garden or as a cut flower. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$6.95.

NEW ORLEANS. 28". Bordeaux or Plum-red, merging into rich crimson, inside mahogany red, blue base. A most attractive new color. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00.

PRIDE OF HAARLEM. 30". Brilliant rosy-carmine or cerise with blue base; large flower of superb form, tall strong stem. An old standby that is deserving of a place in the best of gardens. 3 for 25c; 12 for 95c; 100 for \$6.50.

PRIDE OF ZWANENBERG. 28". Salmon suffused rose-red with silvery edges. Creamy white and blue center, purple anthers. Large blooms are carried on sturdy stems. The color is captivating and the flower is superior in every way. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

PRUNUS. 25". A delightful rose-pink. Flowers are large, of good substance and borne on strong, stiff stems. 3 for 25c; 12 for 95c; 100 for \$6.00.

PRINCESS ELIZABETH MAXIMUS. 28". Vivid rose pink with lighter border, deepening with age. Like its parent Princess Elizabeth, but has a much larger bloom. 3 for 25c; 12 for 90c; 100 for \$6.00.

THE BISHOP. 30". The best in its color. Well formed cup-shaped flower is of a lively tone of bishop's purple with fawn-colored lights in the reverse of the petals, and white interior base with black anthers. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$8.75.

YELLOW GIANT. 29". Rich bright golden yellow. This was the first yellow Darwin introduced and has the true Darwin cup shape. It is large, produced on tall, strong stems and completes the color balance in Darwin plantings. 3 for 25c; 12 for 90c; 100 for \$6.00.

ZWANENBERG. Pure white with black anthers. A large flower of splendid form and good substance. Highly recommended for both bedding and forcing. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

OUTSTANDING TULIP COLLECTION: (F4) 9 each of the outstanding Darwin Tulips above—108 bulbs for \$8.50. (F5) 5 each—60 tulips for \$4.75. (F6) 3 each—36 bulbs for \$3.00.

(F7) Darwin Tulip Sampler Collection

1 each of the 24 varieties listed on this page unlabelled—24 bulbs for \$1.85. (F8) 3 each of the 24 varieties. Separately labelled. 72 bulbs for \$5.25.

Get Holland's Best Tulips Direct from Park. All are guaranteed to bloom.

FOR EARLY SPRING BRILLIANCY OF BLOOM SINGLE AND DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS ARE UNSURPASSED

Few, if any, of the spring-blooming flowers rival these Early Tulips for brilliancy of bloom or ease of culture. They are excellent subjects for formal beds on the lawn and for garden borders. Favorites for growing in pots or pans for indoor bloom because of their earliness and dwarf compact growth. Being dwarf and compact, they are exceptionally well suited for planting in front of broad, low houses of modern design. Height 10-12 inches. They allow you to have Tulips in bloom over a longer period because they bloom before the Darwins show color.



SINGLE AND DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

PEONY FLOWERED DOUBLE LATE TULIPS

These are actually double Cottage Darwin and Triumph Tulips and have Gigantic fully double flowers on tall strong stems. Long lasting as cut flowers or in the garden, they begin blooming a few days prior to the Darwins and last long.

ROCKET. 20". New. A brilliant scarlet, fully double sport of Eros. Flowers are large, color very bright. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

BLEU CELESTE. 18" Large violet-purple, flowering later than other double sorts. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$8.00.

EROS. 20" Very large flower of clear old rose. One of the best doubles, resembles a Peony very closely. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

MOUNT TACOMA. 23". A magnificent giant double white tulip with a sprinkling of red in some flowers. Quite similar to a full double white Peony, and our choice of this group. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.



PARROT TULIP, FANTASY



Clusiana (Lady Tulip)

SYMPHONIA. Cherry red. A double sport of Darwin Pride of Harlem with all its good habits and a giant full double flower. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

MIXED DOUBLE PEONY FLOWERED TULIPS. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.60.

COLLECTION (F10) 10 bulbs each of the above 5 double varieties. 50 bulbs for \$4.75.
½ portion of Collection (F10) 5 bulbs each of 5 kinds—25 bulbs for \$2.50.

Clowns of the Flower World
Huge, Long Lasting, Colorful

NEW PARROT TULIPS

You will enjoy some of these new quaintly shaped flowers. Perhaps they should be called the clowns of the tulip family. Their petals are slashed and fringed, and capriciously marked with shades of green.

BLUE PARROT. 29". Bright violet and mauve, tinted bronze outside, inside purple, shaded steel blue. Enormous flower borne on strong stiff stems. A favorite in all trials. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$6.60.

FANTASY. 27". The main color is soft rose-pink, the shadings of the cup are a deep velvety rose color. The backs of the petals are lightly striped a delightful shade of apple green. Unusually beautiful of form, laciniated, fringed and scalloped. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$6.60.

SUNSHINE. 14". A clear golden yellow deeply lacerated and cut, sometimes showing a slight marking of green which enhances its beauty. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.45; 100 for \$10.00.

THERESE. 30". Fiery rose-scarlet with green markings on the outside. Inside is a vivid cerise-scarlet with white center tinted blue. Brilliant and tall stemmed. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

GEMMA. 22". White flushed apple-blossom-pink. A very good new Parrot Tulip. Much loved as a cut flower. Early. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.45.

ORANGE FAVORITE. 23". Glistening deep orange, shaded rose, inside deep orange-scarlet with yellow base. Flower of great size and brilliant coloring. The most fragrant of Tulips. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25.

PARROT MIXED. New varieties—3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

Permanent—TULIP SPECIES—Extra Early

Once planted they need no further care, and will bloom and increase for years. They prefer a sunny, sheltered location and should not be watered during the summer. Their grace and charm endear them to everyone, and their popularity is increasing.

CLUSIANA. (The Lady Tulip or Candlestick Tulip). Small, showy, pointed blooms—the outer petals are white, flamed bright cherry rose. Inner petals are cream white with blue base. Blooms in early April on 12" stems. 3 for 25c; 12 for 95c; 100 for \$6.50.

DASYSTEMON. Three to five star shaped flowers on each 6" stem in early April. Rich chrome-yellow with large white tips. Three outside petals are olive green tinged rosy purple. The general effect is white and yellow. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

EICHLERI. Crimson-scarlet with glistening black base bordered with gold. 12" early April. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$6.60.

KAUFMANIANA. (The Water Lily Tulip) 8". The earliest of all Tulips. Large attractive creamy white flowers with yellow center shaded rosy red on the outside. Forces well. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.20.

PRAESTANS FUSILIER. 8". Long brilliant orange scarlet flowers often four or more on each stem. A distinct and beautiful color. Blooms in late April. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

SAXATILIS. 14". A very rare species from the Island of Crete. Two lilac flowers with yellow centers are often borne on each stem in April. Give sheltered position. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.35.

SUAVEOLENS HYBRIDS. Hardy everywhere; there are few better types for rockeries as they are persistent and will bloom for years in succession without coddling. Beautiful colorings of red, red and yellow, scarlet, white and yellow in a delightful mixture. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$9.00.

ALL TULIP BULBS offered here are first size bulbs.
11-12 CM. Guaranteed to bloom.

Single Early Tulips

KEIZERSKROON. One of the oldest, it is assuredly, one of the best. The huge flower is bright red, edged with sharply contrasting yellow.

The most striking tulip grown. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

BRILLIANT STAR MAXIMUS. An extra large flower of bright scarlet. The finest early red. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

RISEING SUN. An extra large, long, handsomely shaped flower of deep clear yellow. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$6.60.

PINK BEAUTY. Deep glowing rose and white. The center of each petal is white striped. As the flowers age they often change to cherry-rose and then cherry red. A magnificent tulip. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.40.

DIANA. Purest glistening white flowers are large and broad. Its purity is accentuated by the yellow base. The best early white. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$6.60.

Double Early Tulips

Large, fully double, peony-like flowers. Exceptionally long lasting.

DANTE. Fiery scarlet double flowers with large yellow base. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

MR. VAN DER HOFF. Pure golden yellow. A sport of Murillo with all its superb qualities. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

PEACH BLOSSOM. Our strain is improved over the regular Peach Blossom having larger, more fully double flowers. Bright rose pink, flushed white deepening with age to carmine rose. A most beautiful color. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

JAN VER MEER. Has the same striking coloring found in Keizerskroon. Brilliant red and contrasting yellow. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15.

SCHOONOORD (Purity). A beautiful pure white sport of Murillo. Best white in this class. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$8.40.

DOUBLE EARLY MIXTURE. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$6.50.



DOUBLE LATE TULIP, MOUNT TACOMA

Multiflowered Tulips

Each stem branches, carrying 3-6 flowers of good size, and gracefully spaced. For an unusual specimen, for a great mass of color in the garden. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$8.00.



RED EMPEROR (Fosteriana)

The very largest Tulip ever cultivated. Famous for its brilliant scarlet color and golden base. It blooms with the early Daffodils and gives a striking contrast with them. Fully open blooms often 9" across. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

BREEDER TULIPS—Famous Favorites for their RARE, RICH COLORS

CHERBOURG. 32". A unique combination of colors in this, undoubtedly one of the finest of Breeder Tulips. Old gold suffused light bronze, deeper tone of yellow towards petals edge. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

DILLENBERG. 27". A glorious salmon orange, shaded rose. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.60.

LOUIS XIV. 32". Considered by many to be the finest of all Tulips. In the garden, it is always magnificent, and as a cut flower its rich blend of purple and gold is truly royal. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00.

INDIAN CHIEF. (Meyerbeer) 32". A magnificent flower of richest coloring. It is mahogany red flushed purple edged warm brown when in full bloom; yellow base. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15.

CHOICE MIXTURE OF BREEDER TULIPS. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$6.60.

PARK'S ALL TYPES TULIP MIXTURE

This great Park's mixture enables you to have the very finest Tulips at the lowest possible price. Hundreds of varieties are carefully blended by our Holland grower from the very best varieties of Cottage, Darwin, Ideal Darwin, Giant Breeder, Lily flowered, Single and Double Early, Double Peony Flowered, and Parrot Tulips. This method of marketing Tulips is the least expensive and you will get many different kinds rather than a few specific kinds for the same cost. 12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$1.85; 100 for \$7.00.

PARK'S LAWN GRASS SEED

FALL PLANTING IS BEST. The best time to start or repair your lawn is during the cool weather of early fall. Seed sown from August 15 to Oct. 15 invariably grows well; thicker turf develops quickly under the influence of autumn rains and cool nights. You will have fewer weeds, and a deeper root system. Dormant seeding after November 15 also gives good results. The rate and beauty of growth will depend upon the richness of the soil, good preparation, fertilization, careful planting and moisture until it becomes established after which it needs only reasonably good care to last for years.

FOR NORTHERN LAWNS full sun or light shade. **TURF MAKER 38.** Composed of the strongest, finest and most permanent grass varieties, including Bent. Under favorable conditions it will produce a deep-rooted turf, luxuriant, carpet-like and emerald-green from early spring through summer to early winter. ½ lb. 75c; 1 lb. \$1.40; 3 lbs. \$4.15; 5 lbs. 6.80 Postpaid.

TRUE SHADE. For growing in shady places, under trees, etc., where grass usually does not thrive. ½ lb. 80c; 1 lb. \$1.50; 2 lbs. \$2.90; 5 lbs. \$7.10.

FOR SOUTHERN LAWNS

SOUTHERN EVERGREEN. Carefully formulated from the best grasses for this area. Will give a year-round carpet of green if seeded in the fall on well prepared, well fertilized and limed soils, and given moisture as required. 1 lb. 85c; 2 lbs. \$1.65; 5 lbs. \$4.00; 10 lbs. \$7.50 Postpaid.

SOUTHERN SHADY. Same price as Southern Evergreen. **PERENNIAL RYE GRASS Blue Tag Certified.** Deeper green and of better shape than regular domestic Rye Grass, this premium strain will survive the summer and give a fine winter lawn in sun or shade for a number of years. 1 lb. 45c; 3 lbs. \$1.25; 5 lbs. \$2.00; 10 lbs. \$3.75 Postpaid.

DOMESTIC RYE GRASS. For beautiful winter lawn. Scratch seed in Bermuda sod each fall for the most easily kept Southern lawn. 10 lbs. sows 1,000 sq. ft. 1 lb. 35c; 5 lbs. \$1.25; 10 lbs. \$2.25 Postpaid.

QUANTITY OF LAWN SEED TO USE.

	New lawn	Renovating
200 sq. ft.	1 lb.	½ lb.
1000 sq. ft.	5 lbs.	3 lbs.
Acre	200 lbs.	100 lbs.



Golden autumn days for planting
Stored up beauty in our gardens,
Then, when by nature's magic,
Cradled seeds and bulbs are tended,
Softly hushed by wind and rain,
Gently coaxed by warming sun,
Kissed by early morning dewdrops,
The modest and the flaunting flowers
Bring gay music to our hearts.

A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches—Proverbs

COTTAGE, MAYFLOWERING TULIPS

Bloom with the Darwins and Breeders but flowers are generally longer and more pointed and the colors more delicate. Many of them are fragrant.

GOLDEN HARVEST. 28". Perhaps the largest yellow tulip yet developed. The deep lemon-yellow flower is of great substance touched with pale green shading. 3 for 25c; 12 for 95c; 100 for \$6.00.

ADVANCE. 30". One of the largest of all tulips. Its glorious orange-scarlet coloring grows more vivid as the flower develops. Center is glittering black. Stem is tall and strong. Blooms with the Narcissus. Unsurpassed. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

OSSI OSWALDA. 28". One of the new Hybrids, it is of exceptional size and extraordinary beauty. Pure white with picoted edging of bright cherry red. Long lasting. 3 for 25c; 12 for 95c; 100 for \$6.00.

RED GLORY. 27". Scarlet red flowers are large and borne on strong stems. The flower resembles a rosebud before opening. An outstanding Tulip. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.50.

LILY FLOWERING TULIPS

An extremely graceful and decorative class of Tulips with waist-like form and delicately curved reflexing petals. They are most artistic. Bloom in May.

ALASKA. Clear soft yellow; yellow center and yellow stamens give an unusual uniform color. Sweet scented. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.00.

CAPTAIN FRYATT. 24". Dark ruby-violet, violet blue center; strongly reflexing petals, blue and white base. No other tulip of similar colors exists. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$8.00.

MARCELLINA. 24". Delicate cerise-pink with pure white base and yellow anthers. Very graceful, lovely color. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.00.

SEBASTIAN. 26" Tall, golden yellow with elegant reflexed petals, strong stems. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.30.

WHITE DUCHESS. 27". A pure white flower of exquisite beauty. The white anthers and white base, faintly tinged green. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25.

FREE: GOLDEN YELLOW STERNBERGIA LUTEA

If your order arrives before Sept. 15, 1950 and amounts to as much as \$4.00

Sternbergia Lutea. Rich golden yellow Crocus-like flowers. Planted in bowls or pots, they bloom a few weeks after planting. Hardy outdoors where they should be planted 6" deep in well drained, warm, sunny place.

You may order 6 bulbs any variety, at ½ the 12 rate; 25 bulbs or more at the 100 rate. Cultural instructions included with all orders. Please do not ask us to ship C.O.D. It involves extra expense for you, additional red-tape for you and for us and frequently causes delay.

TIME OF DELIVERY: Seeds are shipped immediately upon receipt of your order. Bulbs ordered before they are ready for shipment will be mailed as quickly as possible after the bulbs reach us from our Holland growers. All bulbs, with just a few exceptions, namely Lilies, are ready for delivery after the middle of September and all hardy varieties can be planted outdoors any time from then until the ground freezes hard.

PARK'S GUARANTEE—We guarantee our seeds and bulbs to the full extent of the purchase price to be true to name and sure to grow under favorable conditions. We will always do more than fair dealing demands to give you satisfaction. Because weather conditions and other things over which we have no control sometimes cause crop failures, it is agreed that in no case shall the Geo. W. Park Seed Co. be liable for more than the original purchase price. In case plants are damaged in transit, we must be notified within 10 days.

DEAR FRIENDS,

We're delighted to be able to show, to some extent, the beauty which can be yours, on the covers of this catalog. We do not pretend that the pictures do justice to the real flowers, but they do bring to mind the lovely effects you can have by using these most easily grown Dutch bulbs in your Garden.

Although it's fall, we greet you as a breath of spring, gently warming the chill air, invigorating spirits, bringing new life into growing things, and such a greeting is not out of place, for we are at the same time urging you to plant our fine quality Holland grown bulbs. They'll greet you, gloriously, for us, with the first breath of spring.

You'll find the quality of our bulbs unsurpassed—We guarantee them to bloom for you—and our prices—well, check them against any other reliable dealer's—they're "rock bottom" and a welcome thought that it is in times like these.

Park's Dutch Bulbs then, are the buy of the year. You can't eat them, but meat and potatoes leave something lacking, which we feel, is likely nourishment for the soul, so amply provided in these glorious blooms. Perhaps it was Confucius who said "If I had two loaves of bread, I'd sell one and buy a white Hyacinth to feed my soul." Things are far from that bad in this country but certainly we do need more food for the soul, and perhaps the beauty of God's creation to be found in the garden, is what more of us need.

We'll look forward to hearing from you. It will be a pleasure to serve you, especially since reports from our growers indicate that we'll have extra fine bulbs for you. You'll like our service too, and perhaps even appreciate this gentle reminder, if because of it, you plant these lovelies in your garden. For, they'll burst forth into glorious color thrilling you to your toes and bringing the good springtime with them too.

Floricordially yours,
GEO. W. PARK SEED CO.



Lily Flowered Tulip White Duchess

HOLE-IN-ONE

PLANTING TOOL

Removes a plug of soil, leaving a flat bottomed hole just right for bulbs. Small hand tool for cultivated soil. Each 85c. Postpaid.

Prices Slashed

as much as 15%
below last year
and
all bulbs and seeds
are postpaid.

CUSTOMER Pays postage on plants after arrival. Note the amount of postage used and remit in envelope provided.

Featuring

FLOWER SEEDS	Pg.
Annual	10
Perennial	6-9
Window Garden	11
Pansies	5
PLANTS	
Hardy Perennial	4
Window Garden	4
Pansies	4
BULBS	
Daffodils	16
Hyacinths	15
Iris	14
Lilies	15
Tulips	1-3
Many others	12-13

James
Kelway

Painted
Daisies

Pyrethrum, Park's Double

PAINTED DAISY

FINE PANSY PLANTS. GROWN FROM SEED DESCRIBED ON PAGE 5.

Established in your garden this fall, these will bloom in earliest spring.

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ROGGI'S GENUINE ORIGINAL MIXED	\$0.60	\$1.00	\$1.75	\$5.00
SUPER SWISS GIANTS		.75	1.25	3.75
OREGON GIANTS		.85	1.50	4.50
ENGELMANN'S GIANTS		.85	1.50	4.50
BUTTERFLY HYBRIDS	.60	1.00	1.75	5.00
FELIX	.60	1.00	1.75	

COLLECTION (F12). 6 of each Pansy above: 36 plants for \$2.50.

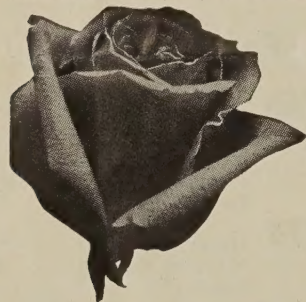
SPECIAL DORMANT ROOTS

Blooming Size.

HARDY CYCLAMEN Neopolitanum. Rose pink to deep pink. Foliage marbled and mottled silver. Petals strongly recurved to give a shooting-star like appearance. 45c each; 3 for \$1.15.

DICTAMNUS Fraxinella (Flame flower or Gas Plant). Delightful loose spires of rose pink on 3 ft. stems. Foliage has delightful lemon fragrance. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

INCARVILLEA Grandiflora Brevis. Hardy perennial with large lavender pink gloxinia like flowers on 6-10 inch stems, in June and July. 75c ea.; 3 for \$2.00.



New Patented ROSES and All America Winners ALL AMERICAS FOR 1950. REIGN AGAIN FOR '51.

FASHION. (PAF) (Floribunda) Coral-pink, overlaid with gold which softens to clear coral deepening to red tones with age. Pointed buds are oriental red, opening slowly into miniature hybrid tea form. Only Gold Medal at London Flower Show. Each \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00.

MISSION BELLS. (PAF) (Hyb. Tea) Deep salmon-pink. \$2.00 ea.

SUTTER'S GOLD. (PAF) (Hyb. Tea) Long-pointed bright yellow buds richly shaded with orange and red. Open into fragrant semi-double flowers of deep orange. \$2.00 ea.

CAPISTRANO. (PAF) (Hyb. Tea) Flowers sometimes reach a full six inches across and are of a rich glowing rose-pink that does not fade. A rich delightful fragrance perfumes the garden. Disease resistant, unusually vigorous. \$2.00 ea.; 3 for \$5.00.

PEACE. (Pat. 591). AARS 1946. The most beautiful rose in the world today. Huge yellow buds, edged cerise, open to great Peony-like blooms, often 5-6 inches across, changing to creamy yellow with a delicate flush of pink. Mild fragrance. Each \$2.00.

BLAZE. (Pat. 10). Most Popular of All Climbing Roses. The everblooming counterpart of Paul's Scarlet. Height 10-12 ft. Masses of vivid scarlet or Flag Red double flowers over a long period in springtime, intermittent flowers all season. Each \$1.25.

ECLIPSE. (Pat. 172) Long pointed buds open golden yellow. The best all-purpose yellow Rose in all climates. Each \$1.35.

MIRANDY. (Pat. 632) (AARS 1945) Rich dark red buds, opening Chrysanthemum red. Huge, lasting, fragrant. Each \$1.50.

FORTY-NINER. (Pat. 792) Large, pointed yellow buds, open brilliant orient red, later changing to cherry red on inside of petals. Outside is chrome yellow. Each \$1.75; 3 for \$4.75.

FLORADORA. Gayest of Floribundas. Spectacular, brilliant, cinnabar-red. Always in bloom. Fully double. \$1.25 ea.; 3 for \$3.15.

SUMMER SNOW. (Pat. 416) Polyantha. A most prolific bloomer. Clear white flowers cover the plant. \$1.25 ea.; 3 for \$3.15.

PINOCCHIO. (Pat. No. 484) (Floribunda) Extremely hardy, very easy to grow, always in bloom, with hundreds of flowers on every bush. Buds salmon, flushed gold at the base, changing to soft clear pink when open. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.15.

GOLDLOCKS (Pat. No. 672) (Floribunda) First true golden yellow floribunda. Each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.75.

K. A. VICTORIA. (Hyb. Tea) Pure white. Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50.

Prices of many other varieties on request.

DELPHINIUM PACIFIC HYBRIDS MIXED.

ROUND TABLE SERIES, OR GALAHAD

3 for 80c; 6 for \$1.30; 12 for \$2.25.

YOU SAVE 75% When you plant PARK'S Fine Field Grown 1 yr. old untransplanted HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS

You can get a dozen of these fine plants for about the price you ordinarily expect to pay for three 2 year old plants, which shows what a tremendous saving there is in buying these plants. These 1 yr. old plants will bloom the first year, and increase in beauty during subsequent seasons. All plants listed on this page are F.O.B. Greenwood. We send them postpaid but ask that you remit the amount of postage used on the package in envelope we provide.

AUBRIETIA MONARCH MIXED (Rainbow Rock Cress)

Forms a carpet of glorious color in early spring. Fine for borders or for carpeting the surface of beds planted with early spring bulbs. 3 for 80c; 6 for \$1.30; 12 for \$2.25.

AQUILEGIA (Columbine)—Queen of Flowers

Beautiful, most graceful, hardy plants for partially shaded places or full sun. Their blooms are excellent for cutting. Blooming time—May and June.

CRIMSON STAR. Petals striking crimson with waxy white contrasting corolla. 3 for 90c; 6 for \$1.45; 12 for \$2.50.

LONGISSIMA. Sparkling yellow flowers with exceptionally long spurs. 3 for 90c; 5 for \$1.35; 12, \$2.50.

BLUE SHADES. Large flrs. with long spurs in every shade of blue. 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75.

MRS. SCOTT ELLIOT'S LONGSPURRED. Unquestionably the finest color mixture grown; colors cover all shades of lavender, purple, red, white, yellow, blue and pink. Flowers are of magnificent size with exceptionally long spurs. 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75.

CARNATION GRENADIN. MIXED COLORS

These hardy outdoor Carnations are most useful and popular. Their delightful fragrance, wide range of bright colors, and good keeping qualities make them deserving of a place in every garden. 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.60.

DIGITALIS Gloxiniaflora Mixed Colors. (Foxglove)

Growing 4 feet tall, these are ideal for tall borders or backgrounds. Handsome big trusses of Gloxinia-like bloom. 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.60.

IBERIS SEMPERVIRENS (Hardy Candytuft)

Dwarf plants with evergreen foliage for borders, edging, or rockery. Glistening white flowers cover the dwarf plants in early spring. 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75.

PYRETHRUM PARK'S EXTRA DOUBLE PRIZE MIXTURE

Grown from seed. Few other perennials have the usefulness, beauty, color, hardness and ease of culture of these lovely plants. Flowers will be more fully double the second year and a larger percentage will be double, but 60% double is expected. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.15.

PYRETHRUM ROBINSON'S GIANT HYBRIDS

The largest of the single sorts. 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75.

GAILLARDIA MONARCH STRAIN. (Blanket Flower).

Extremely hardy, Gaillardias require only the simplest care. They produce a profusion of colorful blooms. 3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.60.

GYPSOPHILA. (Baby's Breath). Rose-pink or white.

A long-lived perennial much loved for misty garden beauty. For use in mixed bouquets it has no equal.

HOLLYHOCK CHATER'S DOUBLE MIXED.

3 for 50c; 6 for 90c; 12 for \$1.60.

DOUBLE PINKS. (Dianthus Plumarius Spring Beauty)

Fragrant double. Exceptional color range. 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.45.

GIANT SHASTA DAISIES (Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum).

For a wealth of cut flowers, for showy mass plantings.

DIENER'S GIANT DOUBLE FRINGED. Beautiful double and semi-double fringed flowers of large size. About 60% of the plants will be double and flowers will be more fully double the second year. 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00;

MARCONI GIANT DOUBLE. More fully double with centers completely covered, tho not quite so large as Diener's. More fully double the second year. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25.

MARCONI GIANT SINGLE. The largest single Shasta Daisy grown from seeds. 2½ ft. stems. 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75.

SWEET WILLIAM INDIAN CARPET. For borders of beds. (New) One of the most attractive border plants we grow. 6 inches high, with blooms held down just on top of the foliage. Plants are dwarf mound like and display a complete range of colors. 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25.

WAHLENBERGIA (Platycodon) One of the few perennials which will bloom all summer long. In bud the flowers appear like chinese-lanterns, when open they form 2" bells. Most of the plants will have beautiful blue flowers, but a few are shining white. 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75.

Plants for your Winter Window

(Most of the plants listed below are pictured on Page 11)

ABUTILON. Mixed colors. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

BEGONIA Fibrous Rooted. Mixed. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00.

MAPLE LEAF BEGONIA. Charming, delicately colored leaves. Maple-like in shape. Dainty pink flowers. 50c ea.; 3 for \$1.35.

BALL RED BEGONIA. The reddest Begonia grown today. 50c ea.; 3 for \$1.35.

Gustav Knaake. 40c ea.; 3 for \$1.00.

Double Begonias—Pink, red or white. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

Calla Lily Begonias. 65c each; 3 for \$1.75.

CALCEOLARIA. Mixed colors. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35. December delivery.

CINERARIA. Mixed colors. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

EXACUM. Affine. 40c each; 3 for \$1.10.

Fuchsia. Mixed colors. 40c each; 3 for \$1.10.

CYCLAMEN MIXED. 75c each; 3 for \$1.50.

IMPATIENS (Sultana). Mixed colors. 5 for \$1.00. Separate colors: White, Wine, Salmon, Salmon with bronze leaves, Pink, Pink red eye, Chinese red; bright orange, Rose. 35c each; 4 for \$1.00. Impatiens with variegated leaves, pink flowers. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

PRIMULA Chinese Giant Fringed. Mixed colors. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

PRIMULA Obconica. Mixed colors. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

GLOXINIA. Mixed colors. 65c each; 3 for \$1.50.

CLIVIA. Mixed colors. 1 year old plants. Will bloom in 3-4 years. \$1.00 ea.

African Violets

GROUP I—90c each; 3 for \$2.50: Orchid Beauty, two tone orchid shades.

Blue Boy, Bright blue Pink Beauty, pink White Lady, white

GROUP II—\$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.50: Blue Amazon; Pink Amazon; Amazon two tone; Dupont light blue; Red Dupont; Red Head; Purple Beauty has purplish leaves, purple flowers; Pink Leatherneck; Blue Leatherneck; Dainty Maid, pink flowers, pink veins in youngest center foliage; Viking, quilted glossy dark leaves, dark purple flrs.; Sapphire, dark blue violet flrs., upright growth; Azure Glory, scalloped oval lvs., dark blue flr.; Marine, robust, huge deep violet blue flrs.; Browns Blue Butterfly, skyblue; Amethyst, heart shaped quilted lvs., light orchid flrs.

GROUP III—\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.50: Red Amazon; Double Blue Amazon; Old Lace, lvs. heavily scalloped and curled, orchid flrs.; Ruffles, small dark lvs. with ruffled edges, narrow petalled light blue violet flrs.; JADE, jade green lvs., blue flrs.; WATERLILY or Starlight, deep green heart shaped lvs., blue purple flrs. NERSEMAN, blue violet; DOUBLE MARY WAC, blue; DUPONT LAVENDER PINK.

Amazons have large leaves and flowers. Duponts have compact growth, heart-shaped, toothed leaves and large flowers. More complete descriptions limber and long stemmed.

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1495A—ROGGLI'S GENUINE ORIGINAL SWISS GIANT PANSIES MIXED.

Do not confuse this with the "Roggli" strain offered below which is several generations removed from the original. Seeds we offer here are direct from Mr. Roggli, the Swiss Originator of this world renowned strain. Since it was originally offered it has become the standard others attempt to attain, but the Roggli's have continued to improve it and it is still the finest to be had in the world today. Huge flowers are produced on long erect stems. The color range is superb. There is a tendency toward the handsome deeper tones of red and blue, but it is well balanced with lighter yellows, whites, light blues. 60 seeds 25c; 300 seeds \$1.00; 1/32 oz. (about 800 seeds) \$2.00; 1/16 oz. \$3.75; 1/8 oz. \$6.75; 1/4 oz. \$12.

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GIANT PANSIES A PARK SPECIALTY

Pansies are well and favorably known, so that a description of their exquisite beauty, and usefulness in the garden is unnecessary. They are simply indispensable, and if we were to name a half dozen of our best seedling flowers, the Pansy would be one of them. There is, however, much difference in the strains, some being greatly superior in vigor and free-blooming quality to other plants as well as the great size, form, variety, and richness of colors and variations. We are pleased to say that the seeds we offer are from Pansy specialists, all of the new crop, and cannot be surpassed in quality, regardless of claim or price.

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Pansy Plants
See Page 4

The Largest and Finest of All Pansies

We offer ORIGINATOR'S Seeds of the
FOUR FINEST PANSY STRAINS in the World.

SLUIS BROTHERS' SUPER GIANTS SWISS PANSIES

The flowers are not only Giants but Super-giants their size being enormous, and what is more, they include a range of colors and variegations that have never been approached in giant Pansies. Messrs. Sluis in Holland have grown the seeds for us from special re-selected plants and flowers. Our seeds can, therefore, be absolutely relied upon to yield the finest—the very finest—Pansies. Pkt. (50 seed) 10c; Giant Pkt. (200 seed) 25c; 1/32 oz. 75c; 1/16 oz. \$1.35; 1/8 oz. \$2.00; 1/4 oz. \$3.50; 1/2 oz. \$6.00; 1 oz. \$11.00. Order No. 1495.

ROGGLI SWISS GIANTS

IMPROVED ROGGLI SWISS GIANTS. Most popular of the Giant Pansies, this group is enthusiastically admired for its exquisite colors and huge size. Color tendency is toward the handsome deeper tones, well balanced by yellows, whites and light blues. 1473—Superb Mixture. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c; 1/32 oz. 50c; 1/16 oz. 95c; 1/4 oz. \$3.00.

SWISS GIANT COLORS

We offer the following fine Roggli colors:
Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

- 1465—ALPENGLOW. Cardinal shades.
- 1466—BERNA. Dark Violet Blue.
- 1478—CLARET. Wine red.
- 1467—CORONATION GOLD. Canary yellow, lower petals flushed golden orange, slightly ruffled.
- 1468—FIRE BEACON. Brick red.
- 1469—LAKE OF THUN. Thuner Sea blue.
- 1471—WHITE. Pure white.
- 1472—YELLOW MASTER. Pure yellow.

1496—SWISS GIANT ORANGE.

Color is vivid orange, the upper petals with a halo of golden yellow, the lower petal is deep orange. Flowers are perfectly round with overlapping petals of good substance. Introduced and grown for us by Vis Bros. in Holland. Pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. 65c.

1497—GIANT RASPBERRY ROSE.

An entirely new color in the Swiss Giant Strain. A lovely tint of pink, best described as Raspberry Rose. It has a suggestion of a lighter tone on the edges and a velvety blotch in a deeper tone. Outstanding, new. Pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. 65c.

1482—ENGELMAN'S GIANTS.

Seeds we offer are direct from Mr. Engelman. This strain is particularly noted for its heavy texture and very strong stems which enable it to hold up better during hot weather than any other strain. Flowers are of giant proportions and the color range is complete tending toward the brighter colors, many being penciled or veined giving a striking and different effect. 30 seeds 10c; 100 seeds 25c; 1/32 oz. \$1.00; 1/16 oz. \$1.75.

1484—STEELE'S JUMBO MIXED.

Field plants producing flowers up to 5 inches in diameter. Many new and unique colors—pastel pinks, apricots, yellows, blues, brass tones, copper bronze, purple, red in various combinations and self colors. Fully two weeks earlier than other strains. Pkt. 10c; Gt. Pkt. 25c; 1/64 oz. 75c.

RUFFLED OR FRILLED

1487—THE OREGON GIANTS.

Originated and grown for us by Mrs. Merton G. Ellis in Oregon, this is by far the finest American strain of Giant Ruffled Pansies. The color range is superb, well balanced and complete. The flowers are very heavy textured, 3 1/2-4 1/2 in. in diam. and heavily ruffled. We highly recommend this as the best ruffled Pansy in existence. 100 seeds 25c; 500 seeds \$1.00; 1/16 oz. \$1.75.

1489—Masterpiece, Mixed.

Crinkled and ruffled blooms of such great substance as to appear double. Colors mostly in richer deeper tones. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

1488—Park's Pedigreed Exhibition Giant Art Shades

Developed for all the best qualities of early, huge, long stemmed splendid textured flowers with particular selection of art and pastel shades, these plants produce a unique and strikingly beautiful effect. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c; 1/32 oz. 75c.

Roggli's Swiss Giants
for color and size

Engelman's Giants
for heat resistance

Ellis' Oregon Giants
finest ruffled flowers

Steele's Jumbo Mixed
early bloom

1479—A Blended Mixture
of 4 strains above. Pkt.
25c; 400 seeds \$1.00.

SWEET SCENTED PANSIES

1499—READ'S NEW CENTURY SCENTED. Introducing an entirely new strain from England, in which has been developed an exquisite scent and color range which baffles description. Includes many new colors. Blooms 4 1/2 in. in diam. have been recorded, while 3 1/2 in. is average. Petals are stiff and fleshy enabling the flowers to keep well even when buffeted by wind and rain. Originator's seeds. Pkt. 15 seeds 25c; 40 seeds 50c; 100 seeds \$1.00.

1948—BUTTERFLY HYBRIDS

Something really different in Pansies. A strain mainly of pastel character in shades of pink, rose, apricot, buff, orchid, pale gold, coral and flesh. The form is unbelievably ruffled, fluted and marked with sun rays and blotches of butterfly sheen metallic jewel tones. 40 seeds 25c; 200 seeds \$1.00; 1/32 oz. \$2.95.

1490A—FLUFFY RUFFLES. (New)

The medium sized flowers of this imported strain are attractively ruffled and frilled, and the color range is varied and appealing. Pkt. 25c; 300 seeds \$1.00; 1/32 oz. \$2.00.

1492A—"FELIX" Is Here

This distinctive new Pansy is really the "Cat's whiskers"—hence the name "Felix", suggested by the prominent dark veining in every flower. Our trial this past spring showed it to be uniformly true to this type, with well ruffled flowers of good size carried on fairly dwarf plants. Colors are rich and unusual—including purple, apricot and wine shades together with pastel bronzes and smoky tones difficult to describe. Each flower is marked with dark "whiskers" which characterize this strain, and over-all effect is indeed striking. Pkt. 40 seeds, 25c; 200 seeds \$1.00; 1/32 oz. \$2.95.

GIANT FLOWERED—SPECIAL COLORS

1475—AZURE GIANTS. The largest flowered of the brilliant blues—deep dazzling blue.

1474—RED GIANTS. Huge flowers of great beauty, of all cardinal colors. A worthwhile addition.

1474A—JUMBO PAY DIRT. Largest golden yellow ever produced. Resists summer heat. Pkt. 25c.

GIANT WINTER BLOOMING PANSIES

These are unusually hardy and bloom very early in spring; indeed where winters are mild they bloom thruout the cold months, with a little protection such as a cold frame they will bloom during the northern winters.

1483—ICE PANSY (Hymalis). Winter Flowering Early Giant. A complete mixture of colors.

1481—DON'S WINTER FLOWERING. Pkt. 25c.

You'll adore a bed of Colorful Giant Pansies grown from Park's Seeds.

PARK'S PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS

for Permanence and Charm

These are valuable subjects of the flower garden, as most of them are not only showy and beautiful when in bloom, but will do service year after year for a long period, enduring cold, excessive rain and drought, regardless of neglect and improper attention.

Directions for making outdoor beds and sowing seeds are sent with every order.

Hp. HARDY PERENNIALS are hardy plants which will live and bloom every year for a long period. Plants grow to the flowering stage each year and die down again to the roots which remain alive but dormant until the next season. They are very valuable for borders and cut flowers, and once established require less care than the annuals.

Hb—HARDY BIENNIALS are those which bloom the second year from seed, then die. For a continuous display of this type, seed must be sown every year.

Sowing Perennial Seeds

In the North perennial seeds may be sown advantageously in June and July, or later in coldframe or hotbed. See that the seedbeds do not dry out and that the sun does not shine directly upon them. In states extending southward, the beds should be prepared in summer and let stand until the latter part of August or September when sowing should be done.

To prepare the seed-bed dig up the soil to a depth of 2 feet, thoroughly incorporate well rotted compost and rake over several times. Saturate with water and allow to stand until weed and grass seeds spring up and are destroyed before planting.

When ready to plant, rake over the prepared seed-beds carefully to loosen the soil. Sift a 2" layer of mixed loam and well rotted compost over the top. Press the beds firm. Water thoroughly and let stand until the following day. Now, press shallow rows with the angled edge of a board and sow the seeds evenly and thinly.

Cover small seeds scantily, if larger cover twice the depth of their thickness with sifted soil. After sowing, water carefully and thoroughly with a fine spray. Cover with light boards that will shed the rain. Remove these coverings as soon as the seeds begin to sprout. Each day the beds must be watered thoroughly. As soon as the seedlings appear turn the boards up and support so as to protect the beds from direct rays of the sun. For winter covering, a 6" layer of straw, hay or manure is used in order to protect the plants.

All Seeds: Pkt. 10c, 11 for \$1.00—Giant Pkt. 25c, 5 for \$1.00

ACHILLEA-YARROW

7—The Pearl, hp, 2 ft. A superior strain of this finest of perennials. Full double, pure white, blooms fine for cutting from Spring until frost.

6—Filipendulina, Parker's, hp, 2 ft. Robust in habit, large golden corymbs. Showy, fine.

14—Achillea mixed.

ACONITUM (Monk's Hood). hp. S. Elegant hardy perennials showing spikes of richly colored bloom, July, Aug. Sept. Often tardy.

13—Napellus (Monks Hood), 4 ft. Bright blue.

12—Mixed Aconitum.

25 — **AETHIONEMA Cordifolium**, (Lebanon Candytuft), hp, 8 in. Exquisite shrubby rock plant with flowers of pure pink. June, July.

58—**ALSTROEMERIA Aurantiaca**, hp, 3 ft. Tuberous lily-like plants. Flower orange streaked red.



Alyssum, Basket of Gold

SWEET ALYSSUM

71—Saxatile Silver Queen, like Compactum but sulph. yellow.

70—Alyssum Saxatile Compactum, Basket of Gold, hp, 1 ft. Bears masses of small bright golden flowers in Spring; fine for beds or rockery. Best one.

69—Rockery Blend. Special Mix.

118—**ANODA Hastata**, Perennial Opalcup, hhp, 5 ft. Big lavender pink blossoms the first fall. Needs winter protection.

GOLDEN MARGUERITE

ANTHEMIS 121—Kelwayi, 2 ft. Very frilly cut airy foliage and large 2 in. deep yellow flowers. Bloom in Early Summer.

120—New Art Shades. A fine mixture of many new colors never before offered. Pkt. 25c.

123—Mixture of all Anthemis.

ROCK CRESS

ARABIS 180—Alpina Grandiflora, hp, 8 in. One of the earliest and most handsome of all spring flrs, pure white in big clusters all Spring, a glorious display. 182—Spring Charm, (Blepharophylla). A rare species. Large rosy purple flrs. Pkt. 25c.

181—Alpina Rosea, a new variety, bright rose colored.

183—Mixture—Rock Cress.

MICHAELMAS DAISY

ASTER, Perennial, hp. These are fine Autumn flrs. mostly blue and red shades.

246—Alpinus Goliath, 1 ft. Blue.

247—Amellus, 2 ft. Blue and rose shades in fine mixture.

249—Complete Mixture Asters.



AUBRIETIA, Rock Cress

AUBRIETIA, Rainbow Rock Cress, hp. Spreading plants that form a sheet of early Spring bloom, lasting for weeks; a gem for planting in crevices of rocks or walls; a cataract of color.

284—Monarch Mixture. New and one of the finest perennial introductions. Plants are dwarf, neat, compact and full flowering: the colors are exquisite in every conceivable shade. A veritable carpet of exceptional beauty. Sow seed in May, plants begin blooming the following Spring.

282—Hybrida Grandiflora, 6 in. Large flrs. of various colors: white, lilac, rose, dark red, blue.

283—Leichtlinii, 6 in. Carmine rose flowers.

285—Purpurea, 6 in. Deep purple flowers.

281—Park's Glorious Regal Hybrids.

288—Complete Special Mixture of Aubrietia.

ARMERIA—THRIFT

ARMERIA, (Thrift, Sea Pink), hp. Charming Spring and Summer flowering hardy plants, glorious in a bed, lasting well. Easy culture.

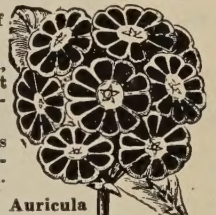
191—Alpina, 3 in. Bright rose color, compact tuft of foliage. The best Armeria.

193—Formosa (Sea Thrift), 1 ft. Rosy-pink flowers in great abundance in summer and autumn.

196—Complete Mixture of Armeria.

187—**ARENARIA Montana**, Sandwort. So dwarf it forms a carpet in the rockery or on walls, hp.

289—**AURICULA Kelway's Giant**, hp, 1 ft. Very beautiful hardy Spring-bloom. Mixed.



Auricula

302—**BAPTISIA Australis** (False Indigo), hp, 2 ft. A strong-growing plant suitable for the border, dark green, deeply-cut foliage and spikes of rich indigo blue flowers.

335—**BOCCONIA Cordata**, hp, 5 ft. Plume Poppy, panicles of chamois flrs., heart-shaped leaves.

336—**BOLTONIA Latisquama**. A good long-blooming perennial with bluish pink daisy-like flrs.

344—**BRODIAEA Laxa** (Triplet Lily). Great clusters of lavender blue flowers on 18 in. stems.

547—**DUSTY MILLER**, Cineraria Diamond, hp, 2 ft. Showy silver foliage, flowers bright yellow.

517—**CENTAUREA MONTANA** (Mountain Bluet), 1 ft. Large blue flowers, July-September.

520—**Perennial Mixed**. A well balanced mixture.

525—**CERASTIUM Tomentosum**, hp, 16 in. Silvery foliage. snow white flowers.

DIANTHUS Rock Garden Pinks

One of the earliest flowers to bloom in the spring. Pinks add dainty, colorful effect to your Rockery.

727—**Alwoodii**, hp, 18 in. A hybrid between Carnation and Pink, extremely floriferous, mixed.

726—**Allwoodii Alpinus**, 5 in. Blooms in 5 months. Best Dianthus for rockery. Glossy leaves, large pink flowers on four-inch stems. 25 seeds 25c.

729—**Caesius**, Cheddar Pink. hp, 6 in. Bright pink flrs., a lovely plant for dry banks, rocks or walls.

733—**Knappi**. hp. Clusters of clear golden yellow.

730—**Delight**. 9 in. The half-inch flowers are freely produced in many lovely shades. Easy growing. Blooms from June to October.

731—**Deltoides**, Maiden Pink. hp, 6 in. Creeping.

720—**Superbus Loveliness**. 12 in. An exquisite free-flowering finely fringed Pink of rosy-lilac.

732—**Park's Special Mixture of Rock Garden Pinks**.

HARDY GARDEN PINKS

DIANTHUS PLUMARIUS or what is known as the Hardy Garden, Spice Pinks, or Flower of the Gods, have been greatly improved, being plain and fringed; single and double, rich-colored and variegated; blooming freely during summer.

742—**Spring Beauty**. Extra double, giant mixed. The best mixture of double flowering sorts.

739—**Scoticus**, Double Special Florist Strain. 12 in. Self colors of various tints of pink, rose, salmon and white, and combinations with bright crimson zone. Blooms large 1½-2 in.

744—Complete Mixture of Hardy Garden Pinks.

AQUILEGIA or Columbine Queen of Flowers

One of the most easily grown perennials, very dependable and long lived, and one of the most graceful. Likes partial shade.

157—**BLUE SHADES**. Long spurred variety of all pretty blue tones.

161—**CLEMATIFLORA** (New Spurless Columbine). Medium height, compact, free flowering; large open Clematis-shaped flowers in delicate colors.

162—**COERULEA**, Rocky Mountain Columbine, 2 ft. Sky blue, white corolla. One of our best.

163—**CRIMSON STAR**. 2 ft. Petals striking crimson with white centers. Blooms 3 in. and more across. Brilliant. Blooms May-June. Hardy.

164—**DOBBIE'S IMPERIAL HYBRIDS**, 3 ft. One of the finest improved strains. Long spurs, large flowers in an excellent range of colors and combinations. Recommended.

165—**LONGISSIMA**. Noted for unusually long, slender spurs, 4-5 in. long, giving the pale yellow flrs. an exceptionally graceful effect. From Northern Mexico, likes hot dry places. June flrs.

166—**LONG-SPURRED HYBRIDS**. Novel colors in mixture.

173—**SNOW QUEEN OR SILVER QUEEN**, 2 ft. Beautiful silver white tinged cream at throat. Fragrant flowers in May and June. Best white.

174—**DOUBLE FLOWERED MIXTURE**, 2 ft. Comes in many forms and colors. Surprising and delightful.



Aquilegia—Mrs. Scott Elliott's Hybrids

167—**MRS. SCOTT ELLIOTT'S HYBRIDS**, Long Spurred. Beautiful, most popular long spurred mixture.

170—**PINK SHADES**. Delicate pink with long spurs.

176—**PARK'S SPECIAL COMPLETE MIXTURE**, all varieties.

Park's GIANT DELPHINIUMS

LATEST AND BEST

These are among the finest of perennials. All are beautiful, hardy, and live and bloom freely for years. Prevailing colors are blue and violet with intermediate shades. Plant in good moist friable loam, with old manure mulching twice a year. Under the best conditions, the better Hybrid Delphiniums will attain 6 or 7 feet in height, with large flowers borne closely upon long spikes. Cropped to 6 inches after blooming in spring new stalks develop and bloom in fall.

GERMINATION NOTES: To improve germination, place seed between moist blotters and leave directly under freezing compartment in refrigerator for a week prior to planting. Then see directions in "Gardener's Handbook" pg. 12.

SPECIAL STRAINS

671—**BLACKMORE AND LANGDON STRAIN.** We have been able to secure this famous strain direct from the originators. Large, double mix.

670—**BELLAMOSUM**, the best Belladonna type.

673—**CLEVEDEN BEAUTY.** Lovely light blue. The finest strain of Belladonna on the market.

672—**CARDINALE.** Fine large-flowered brilliant scarlet. Very popular.

674—**GOLD MEDAL HYBRIDS.** Huge 3 in. single and semi-double flowers are borne, well spaced, on tall spikes. Wide color range, from dark blues to sky blue with tints of pink and delightfully contrasting center markings.

676—**WREXHAM—HOLLYHOCK STRAIN.** The 6-ft. plants have tall graceful spire-shaped spikes of huge florets in a blend of most beautiful shades. A splendid garden plant and cut flower. Finest mixed colors of light blue, dark blue and pastel art shades.

Hardy Chrysanthemums

Bloom in 5 mos. and last for years

536—**KOREAN HYBRIDS.** hp. Semi-double and single. Blooms from seed in 5 months. Magnificent color range. Hardy and long lasting.

543—**INDICUM DOUBLE HYBRIDS.** hp. Double and semi-double flowers in splendid colors. Mixed. This is the hardy fall blooming Chrysanthemum and is one of the parents of the Florist type.

544—**GLORY MIXTURE.** hp. Our finest mixture of hardy Chrysanthemums with an exceedingly wide range of brilliant colors. Contains seeds of Korean and Arcticum Hybrids as well as Azaleamums. Indicums and Morifoliums. Pkt. 25c.

GIANT PACIFIC HYBRIDS SPECIAL COURT SERIES

A remarkable new strain. The well-formed symmetrically-shaped huge

flowers, 3 in. across, are 95% double and mildew resistant.

684—**ASTOLAT SERIES.** Introducing a combination of novel shades ranging from blush to Raspberry Rose with large brown and black bees. Pkt. 25c.

680—***BLACK KNIGHT SERIES.**

Dark violet with velvety texture.

685—***GALAHAD SERIES.** Absolutely the finest white delphinium. Pure white.

681—***BLUE BIRD SERIES.** Clear medium blue with white bee.

686—***GUINEVERE SERIES.** Lovely light lavender pink with white bee.

687—**KING ARTHUR SERIES.** Brilliant royal violet with large white bee.

669—**PERCIVAL SERIES.** A striking pure white with black bee. Pkt. 25c.

692—**SUMMER SKIES SERIES.**

Strong branching plants with huge flowers of clearest light blue. Dark bee.

691—***ROUND TABLE SERIES.** The best mixture of all the finest colors of the Giant Pacific Hybrid Strains.

ORIGINATOR'S SEEDS.

Because the originator's seed has proven superior to any other, we are offering both the originator's and seed grown from the originator's stock in the varieties listed above. Those below are available only in seed grown from originator's stock. PLEASE SPECIFY "Originator's" or "Grown from Originator's".

PRICES: Originator's seeds: Pkt. 25c; Large Pkt. 65c; 1/16 oz. \$2.00.

Grown from Originator's: Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

682—***BLUEJAY SERIES.** Clear medium intense blue with dark bee.

683—***CAMELIARD SERIES.** Pure lavender, with white bee.

690—***MEDIUM BLUE SHADES.**

694—**GIANT PACIFIC HYBRIDS MIXED.** A complete mixture.

PACIFIC HYBRID COLLECTION 072

Eight Giant Packets starred (*) above—\$1.50.

689—**CROSS POLLINATED HYBRID ROUND TABLE SERIES.** Direct from Vetterle & Reinelt, originators. These are hand pollinated seeds from the finest plants. About 300 crosses were used to make this group, combining all the newest color developments. 20 seeds 25c; 200 seeds \$1.25; 400 seeds \$2.50.

ENGLISH DAISIES and VIOLAS

Make Charming Companions for PANSIES

Same cultural requirements — same blooming period



Bellis Montrosa Mixed—10c.

ENGLISH DAISY

Bellis Perennis, hp, 6 in. C. B.

Beautiful, hardy, everblooming plants for summer beds north and winter beds south. The fls. are like small double Asters of many rich colors, and if alternated with Pansies, the effect is charming. Easily grown from seeds, and should be set in the beds 6 in. apart.

Monstrosa. Extra double fls. of robust habit; remarkably fine; largest and best quality; unsurpassed. 327—**Rose.** 328—**White Snowball.**

329—**Complete Mixture.**

331—**Tubulosa Etna Red.** Quilled large double brilliant red flowers.

330—**Park's Super Giant Special Pure White.** Extra large, extra choice flowers.

332—**Bellis Complete Mixture.**



Viola Cornuta—Park's Pride

Viola Cornuta-Tufted Pansies

2081—**PARK'S PRIDE IMPROVED SCOTCH BEDDING. VIOLA CORNUTA.** A grand New bedding hybrid mixture of all the finest, brightest, gayest colors in the largest size flowers and most robust plants. A supreme mixture.

2073—**ARKWRIGHT RUBY.** Ruby crimson shading to terra cotta. Flowers larger.

2074—**AVALANCHE.** Large, pure white. 25c.

2076—**BLUE BEAUTY.** Early, brightest blue.

2079—**CHANTREYLAND.** Best pure apricot.

2080—**ILONA.** Wine red.

2082—**JERSEY GEM (Blue Gem).** 8 in. Flowers rich velvet blue with slightly ruffled petals are borne on long stems. Excellent for cutting.

2091—**YELLOW GEM.** Fine long stems, golden.

2093—**MIXED—Complete mixture of all colors.**



Delphinium Pacific Giants GALAHAD

PERFUMED VIOLA ODORATA

2096—**SWEET VIOLET or Tufted Violet**, hp 4 in. (Viola Odorata semperflorens). Blue, sweet.

2085—**THE BLACK IMP.** Viola Nigra. Quaint little flowers that might have been snipped from black velvet. Blooms quickly and true from seed.

2102—**KING HENRY I.** Deep violet with heavenly blue center and bright yellow eye. A very attractive and delightful novelty. Pkt. 25c.

2101—**Mixed. BUTTERFLY VIOLETS (Papilio).** The flowers are larger than other Cornuta varieties, and usually have purple centers.

Seeds: Pkt. 10c; 23 for \$2.00—Giant Pkt. 25c; 11 for \$2.00.

Canterbury Bells

Campanula Medium, hb, 2 ft., B.M.

These are handsome biennials easily grown from seeds, and when in bloom, are the most attractive of garden flowers.

416—Double Mixed, Campanula medium.

421—Single Mixed, Campanula medium.

CUP AND SAUCER

Campanula calycanthema, hb, 4 ft.

Single cups 3 in. long, framed by "saucers" 3-4 in. across. The plants form perfect pyramids blooming for weeks. 407—Complete Mixture.

422—Complete Special Mixture. Single, double, and Cup and Saucer hardy biennial Campanula medium.

GIANT BELLFLOWER

CAMPANULA, Perennial Bellflower, hp

These beautiful Bellflowers are hardy perennials, lasting for years. Many of them are fine for beds, and all are excellent garden flowers; they are of the easiest culture, growing in either sunny or partly shaded positions.

PERSICIFOLIA GRANDIFLORA, 2 ft. Beautiful large open bells in July, in terminal and axillary racemes.

397—Ladham's Giant Strain. Various shades immense flowers. Finest strain. Pkt. 25c.

428—SINGLE MIXED. 429—Single and Double Mixed.

433—ROCKERY BLEND. A choice mixture.

435—Complete Special Mixture of Perennial Campanulas.

436—COMPLETE MIXTURE of Biennial and Perennial. Campanula.

736—SHOOTING STAR (Dodecatheon clevelandi). hp. 1 ft. R. Cyclamen-like, fragrant blooms with petals thrown back. Purple with yellow base. Pkt. 25c.

CORAL BELLS

HEUCHERA, Alum Root or Coral Bells. Blooming from June to Sept. They are valuable for the low border or rockery.

937—Hoodacres Hybrids. 14 years of selection brings this fine Hyb. to you. More vigorous, more prolific with larger bells and longer stalks. Wide color range.

991—Complete Mixture of Heuchera. Contains rose, crimson, scarlet, vermilion and many other.

HARDY CANDYTUFT

IBERIS, hp. Blooms in April and May. Excellent plants for edging or low borders and make a solid blanket of color for many weeks.

1028—SEMPERVIRENS, hp. 6 in. Spreading plants completely covered with heads of pure white flrs. in spring and summer. Fine for rockery.

1035—HANDSOME INCARVILLEA DELAVAYI

This plant was found by a French Missionary upon a lofty mountain in China. It is a very choice herbaceous perennial of easy propagation from seeds and will grow and bloom for years. The flower scapes rise a foot or more and bear at their summit from one to a dozen bright rosy purple trumpet-shaped flowers 2 in. in diameter. The plant is beautiful both in foliage and in flower, and well deserves a place in every garden. The seeds may be sown early in pots or trays and transplanted later to a rich, loamy soil in a sunny situation. Be sure to try it. Pkt. 10c and 25c.

1036—INVARVILLEA Grandiflora Brevis. Flrs. extra large brilliant crimson. Pkt. 10c; 25c.

1037—INCARVILLEA, MIXED. Pkt. 25c.

HOLLYHOCK

The majestic Hollyhock holds a high place in the garden. Plant in groups against your evergreens or as background for beds or tall borders (Althea Rosea).

HOLLYHOCK CHATER'S DOUBLE

Hp. 6 ft. B. Deservedly the most popular of Hollyhocks, for the tall spikes are covered with fully double 5 in. flowers. Following the Delphinium in the border show, and in bloom from July until frost if flowers are kept picked.

1005—Complete Mixture of the best colors including purple, scarlet, pink, yellow, white, rose, and some with variegations. The following most popular separate colors: 996—Apple Blossom; 1001—Pure White; 998—Scarlet; 1003—Sulphur Yel.

1007—Double Begonia Flowered. 5 ft. Wonderful novelty with large 5 in. double fringed edged flrs. beautiful pastel shades.

1014—Newport Pink. 6 ft. Royal Hort. Soc. prize-winner. Delightful double, pure pink.

1011—Perennial Types Mixed.

Hardy Carnations

The plants start readily from seeds, begin to bloom in 5 months and bloom continuously. If potted they will bloom in the sunny window in winter. All are hardy if given a sheltered location and heavily mulched after the ground freezes. Grenadin, Hardy Garden, and Hardy Border are less susceptible to winter kill than the others, but Chaubaud, Bridgeford and English Giants have larger flowers.

478—Grenadin Mixed. hp. 2 ft. The hardest garden Carnations. Flowers are fully double and freely produced. All Carnations colors.

479—Hardy Garden Carnation. Compact plants bear a profusion of richly scented, double flowers. A choice color blending.

481—Teicher's Special. 2 ft. Long stemmed, large flowered. Mixed.

482—Trial Ground Mixed. All classes and colors, many new. Pkt. 25c

486—J. M. Bridgeford. 16 in. Double flowers 3-4" across are borne on long stems. Blooms in 90 days all Carnation colors. Pkt. 25c

488—English Giants Mixed. The best Carnation we have seen for the gardener who appreciates superior size and quality. If well grown and disbudded will produce the largest flowers of any. Pkt. 25c.

467—Chaubaud Giant. Everblooming. Hp. 18". Plants are vigorous, flowers large and varied in color,

473—GLORY of the Garden. A Mixture of all types of Carnations.

467—Chaubaud Carnations Mixed.

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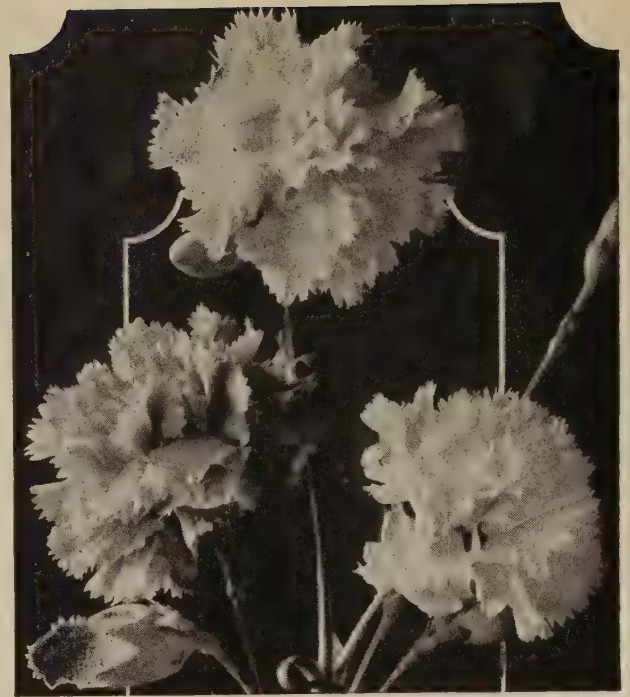
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976 — HELLEBORUS Niger, Christmas Rose, hp, 15 in. Excellent bright colored foliage and large attractive white flowers appear in late winter or early spring.

947—HELIANTHEMUM Mutabile, Rock Rose, hp, 1 ft. Showy dwarf shrubby evergreen. Forms a dense mass of foliage smothered with bright pretty flowers. June-Sept. Mixed.

BLEEDING HEART or Lyre Flower, hp. 2 ft. B. S. 759—Dielytra Spectabilis. Graceful pendant sprays of beautiful heart-shaped rose-colored flowers. 760—Old Fashioned Bleeding Heart. (Eximia. R.) Rose pink with rounded spurs. Summer in semi-shade.

DOG-TOOTH VIOLET Erythronium, hp, 6 in. R. Richly mottled foliage and quaint, bright flrs. make this worthy of a shady corner in your garden. 804—Pink Beauty. Rich lavender pink. Blooms in May.

DICTAMNUS Fraxinella Flame Flower or Gas plant, hp, 2 ft. Both the loose spires of flowers and the delightful lemon scented foliage makes this old-fashioned perennial necessary to every garden. On sultry summer evenings oil emitted as vapor by the flowers will flash when touched off by match. Lives for generations. 757—Mixed. DESERT CANDLE or EREMURUS or Foxtail-lily. 800—Hybrid Species Mixed. hp, 8 ft. B. C. May, June. Clothed for half its length with close-set starry blooms which last for several weeks. Most showy tall border or Florist cut flower. 789—DORONICUM Caucasicum, Leopard's Bane, hp, 18 in. Blooms in early spring. Showy golden flowers.

Spartanburg, S. C. Gentlemen: Mar. 16, '50 Last fall I got some bulbs from you and I must say the King Alfreds were the largest blooms I ever saw.

Mrs. Sam Henry

Digitalis—Foxglove

Foxgloves are beautiful hardy biennials easily raised from seeds. The elegant nodding flowers are produced in upright racemes and are very showy in beds or borders. Background plants. June, July.

766—Gloxiniiflora. 4 ft. Handsome long big trusses of Gloxinia-like bloom. Many flowers open at once. We offer a choice mixture of rose, white, purple and yellow. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c; 1/2 oz. 50c.

767—Yellow Queen (Gloxinoides Isabellina) 3 ft. Long, open flowers of bright yellow, spotted.

765—Rose Queen (Gloxiniiflora Rosea). Rose.

785—White Queen. (Gloxiniiflora alba). White. 770—Shirley. 6 ft. Giant, long upright racemes of huge flowers in finest colors. 769—Purpurea Monstrosa. Special Mixture.

771—Complete Special Mixture.

BLANKET FLOWER

Gaillardia Grandiflora (Perennial Blanket Flower). Hardy perennials blooming first year. 848—Gaillardia Monarch Strains. Exquisite mixed, fine large flowers, good color range. The best mixture.

845—Complete Mixture. Grandiflora Varieties.

883—GILIA Coronopifolia

3 ft. Also known as Ipomopsis Elegans (Standing Cypress). A choice and lovely biennial that should be better known and used. Tall leafy spikes with many flowers of a rare and rich shade of red.

GEUM or AVENS, B.R.

Easy to grow perennial of the Rose Family, erect and dwarf. Fine for cutting and adapted to the rock garden, or border.

870—Complete Mixture.

Jacksonville, Fla.

Nov. 3, 1949

Just a note to tell you how pleased I was with seed obtained from you recently. The Pansy seed germinated 100%! Never had such splendid seed, ever. Also appreciate your selling the small quantity pkts.

Sincerely,

Patricia Houlher.



Hollyhock

BABY'S BREATH or GYPSOPHILA

The perennial Baby's Breath is a very long-lived, bushy plant which produces innumerable misty white flowers in early summer. Fine to lighten bouquets. hp, C, B.

936—Oldhamiana (New). 42 in. Autumn-flowering rose-pink flowers. Award by Royal Hort. Society. Dainty.

937—Pacifica. hp, 3 ft. The plants branch and are smothered with thousands of exquisite little pink flowers.

938—Paniculata. 3 ft. Best known Baby's Breath. Tiny white flowers cover the slender stems in July-Aug.

935—Double Flowered. 3 ft. Showy in beds, fine to cut. Double white.

940—Mixture of above and other perennial Gypsophilas.

IRIS, GODDESS OF THE RAINBOW

1069—Kaempferi, Oriental Iris. 2 ft. Double and single open flowers of enormous size, sometimes 8 in. across. The colors and texture are wonderful. Finest colors Mixed.

1066—Bearded Giant Hybrids Mixed. Seed saved from the finest of named varieties. It will produce splendid new and varied colors.

1074—Complete Mixture. Seed from many kinds. IRIS CULTURE. Sow in the fall to germinate the following spring in fine light soil and cover twice their thickness. The seeds need to be exposed to the cold of winter for best germination.



Shasta Daisy Giant Double

GIANT SHASTA DAISY

Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum

Hp. 2 ft. C. B. Shasta Daisies are splendid perennials, hardy and long lasting. The flowers are large, some 5 in. across. Showy for beds or cutting. June, July, August.

1146—NEW GIANT DOUBLE DIENER'S STRAIN. Beautiful double white Shasta Daisies 5 to 7 inches across, perfectly hardy and finest for cutting.

1149—GIANT FULLY DOUBLE SHASTA DAISY Giant Marconi Double. More fully double with centers completely covered tho not quite so large as Diener's. Many of the first year flowers will be single, but blooms almost 100% double the second year. Pkt. 25c.

1144—MARCONI. The largest Shasta Daisy to date. 2½ ft. stems, 6 in. flowers. Single.

SWEET ROCKET, B. C.



HESPERIS Matronilis. hp, 3 ft. Sometimes known as Dame's Violet. Terminal clusters of large Phlox-like deliciously scented flowers throughout Summer. A lovely easily grown perennial that should be in every garden.

979—Park's Red. Bright red.

980—Park's White. Pure white.

985—Violet.



981—Complete blended Mixture.

PENSTEMON

Splendid perennials bearing bright tubular flrs., highly valued for the hardy border. Thrives many years.

1556—Grandiflora Hybrids. Giant flowered strain in a splendid collection of varieties and colors. The glaucous leaves add attraction.

1557—Sensation. hp. Gloxinia-flowered. Large spikes of large flowering tubular blooms. Colors pink to crimson, richly marked. The finest Penstemon from Seeds.

Lovely LUPINES

Innoculation with Legume-Aid (Pkt. 10c) seems to be the answer to past problems of growing these beautiful subjects. Sow seed where they are to flower as they resent transplanting. They require perfect drainage.

1232—L. RUSSELL'S HYBRIDS. The strong growing, cut leaved foliage plants bear enormous, well rounded, long, symmetrical 3 ft. spikes closely spaced with large flowers in a great variety of rich colors: deep yellows, purples, oranges, reds and bi-colors besides white, pink, blue. Blooms in 4 months from sowing.

15 seeds 10c; 45 seeds 25c; ¼ oz. \$1.00.

1235—RUSSELL'S HYBRIDS ORIGINATORS SEEDS. Pkt. 25c; ¼ oz. \$1.00.

MALTESE CROSS, B.

Blooms in August from spring sowing and once established in May or June.

LYCHNIS CHALCEDONICA. hp, 2 ft. Showy flowers in big heads; very desirable border plant. 1244—Scarlet. Rich glowing scarlet. One of the few flowers which is definitely red.

1247—Complete Mixture.

MECONOPSIS 1335—Baileyi. hp. New, from China; glorious sky-blue Poppy-like flrs. with showy green anthers. A beautiful plant.

1339—MERTENSIA Virginica, BLUEBELLS. 2 ft., hp. Panicles of rich blue, rose tinted flrs.

Spring 1950, Comstock, Mich.

GEO. W. PARK SEED CO.

I don't know if I told you, but I received a blue ribbon and a red ribbon on 2 exhibits of your Roggli Giant Pansies in 1949 flower show.

Mrs. V. Savage.

LILIES Glory of the Garden

Easily grown from seed Lilies are among the most pleasing of garden plants, and will give your garden a variety of colors and forms with regal grace and elegance. Begin your planting.

1161—AURATUM, Gold-banded Lily. hhp, 4 ft. Gorgeously handsome great saucer-shaped white flowers striped with golden yellow and freckled with maroon dots. Its powerful fragrance pervades the garden on August evenings. Pkt. 25c.

1175—BELLINGHAM HYBRIDS. A large collection of West Coast Native Lilies crossed and the finest ones selected for this beautiful strain. Many of them are pure yellow. Pkt. 25c.

1162—MADONNA LILY (Candidum). Snow white.

1217—GIGANTEUM. 12 ft. The largest of all Lilies. Great 6 inch trumpets of white tinged green outside, striped red inside. Pkt. 25c.

1164—HENRYI. 4 ft. Golden orange flecked bronze.

1166—KELLOGGI. 4 ft. Large trusses of pinkish purple banded yellow with maroon dots.

1167—LONGIFLORUM PRAECOX White Queen. 2 ft. A clear snow white, extra long flr.; blooms readily from seed in 12 months. Easy. Pkt. 25c.

1168—LONGIFLORUM TAKESIMA, True Easter Lily. 30 in. Fragrant trumpets of purest white.

1171—REGALE, hhp, 3 ft. One of the most beautiful and easily grown garden lilies. Large trumpet shaped ivory white flowers. July. Fragrant.

1170—PHILIPPINENSE FORMOSANUM, hhp, 2 ft. Long white trumpet flowers. Most easily grown.

1218—PYRANAICUM. 4 ft. Lemon yellow, spotted.

1220—SPECIOSUM RUBRUM. 4 ft. Deep rose-red strikingly dotted with crimson, gracefully recurved. One of the most beautiful. Pkt. 25c.

1151—SULPHUR HYBRIDS. 5 ft. Mr. Edgar L. Kline, Lily specialist for many years, crossed many species on L. Sulphureum to give this lovely trumpet type Lily a color range from pale yellow to sulphur yellow. Hybrid vigor makes this strong growing and excellent to cut. Pkt. 25c.

1173—TENUIFOLIUM, Siberian Lily. Waxy scarlet recurved petals borne on 2 ft. wiry stems.

1152—ORANGE TRIUMPH (Umbellata Hyb.). 4 ft. New. Light pinkish orange flowers, spotted maroon in upturned clusters. Pkt. 25c.

1179—MARTAGON (Turban Lily). Waxy petals of purple, pleasingly reflexed and dotted.

1174—GLORY OF THE GARDEN. Complete mixture of above Lilies. Pkt. 10c; 25c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

DOUBLE PYRETHRUM

1759—PARK'S EXTRA DOUBLE PRIZE MIXTURE, hp, 2 ft.

Seed saved exclusively from extra double flowers of all colors. This is a fine premium strain and absolutely unsurpassed. Pkt. 25c; ¼ oz. \$1.15.

1770—Extra Double White. Pkt. 25c.

1771—Extra Double Pink. Pkt. 25c.

1774—Extra Double Sulphureum. Yellow. Pkt. 25c.

SINGLE PYRETHRUM

1755—James Kelway, hp, 2 ft. Bright vermilion red with golden center. Very showy.

1754—Robinson's Giant Grandiflorum Hybrids. A fine blend of giant flowered single sorts. These are the largest of all, with beautiful color blend.

1758—COMPLETE MIXTURE of Single and Double Pyrethrums including all kinds above.

SWEET WILLIAM

SWEET WILLIAM, Dianthus Barbatus. hb, 18 in.

748—Double Flowered. Comes about 60% double flowered plants in finest mixture of colors.

750—Newport Pink. 18 in. A very bright, beautiful variety, excellent for summer beds and cutting, splendid shades, salmon or watermelon-pink.

756—Complete mixture of single and double.

762—INDIAN CARPET. Plants are very dwarf, compact and uniform—not exceeding 5 or 6 inches in height, thus presenting all the showy colors on a uniform level. Will produce a gorgeous carpet-like effect from early spring and lasting well into early summer. Pkt. 25c.



Wahlenbergia

Grandiflora 24 in. (Tufted Hairbell). Large flowering. 2118—Blue; 2119—White; 2120—Mixed. 2124—Wahlenbergia Complete Mixture.

Chinese Bell Flower

Wahlenbergia or Platycodon. hp, C. B.

This delightful plant will thrill you with its perfectly formed wax-like flowers. It is one of the finest hardy perennials, and produces showy flowers for cutting during the entire season.

ORIENTAL POPPIES

PAPAVER ORIENTALIS. hp. These are the largest and most attractive of garden perennials. The long fringed leaves are not unlike ferns, and the showy buds that issue from the ground on strong stems three feet high, develop into enormous flowers, brilliant in color and graceful in form. Blooms in May and June.

1529—PARK'S FINEST LARGE-FLOWERED HYBRIDS. 3 ft. Lovely rare shades in mixture.

1533—PERRY'S WHITE. 2 ft. Fine satiny white crimson maroon blotch at the base of each petal.

1535—COMPLETE SPECIAL MIXTURE OF ORIENTAL POPPIES.

1515—Papaver Nudicaule Imperial Jewels. All colors, both bright and pastel. Long stems, huge beautifully frilled flowers.



1723—Primrose Giant Polyanthus. Pkt. 10c.

HARDY PRIMROSES

Sow in late fall, seeds need freezing for best germination.

Most of them will last for years and afford a showy and beautiful display every spring. The clustered flowers appear in many lovely colors and last for weeks. We offer the finest kinds for garden beds. Blooming season very early spring—March, April, May. They like shade.

1711—AURICULA. Extra large flowering mixture from the finest strain of prize show varieties.

1712—AURICULA Monarch Strain. Pkt. 25c.

1716—CASHMIRIANA. Large flowered lilac.

1717—DEANS Choicest Colored Hybrids Mixed. Splendid range of rich colors, large flowers. A magnificent premium strain. Pkt. 25c.

1719—JAPONICA. 2 ft. White to Crimson.

1718—FLORINDAE. 40 in. Delightful fragrant, yellow.

1723—VERIS Elatior Giant Polyanthus. Giant umbels in many light colors. Spring bloom.

P. POLYANTHUS or (Veris). 10 in. to 1 ft. Cowslip. A fine hybrid of Europe, long well known.

1720—Alba pura, pure white; 1721—Aurea, yellow; 1725—Red shades; 1724—Large Flowered Choicest Mixed

1727—VULGARIS. 6 in. True yellow Primrose.

1726—Complete Mixture of Hardy Primroses, containing the above and other interesting varieties.

PRIMULA NOTES: See Gardener's Handbook for complete instructions. These benefit from late fall planting. They need to be frozen before they will germinate well.

SCABIOSA

1843—House's Hybrids. hp, 3 ft. Large showy double flowers fringed and ruffled in many fine colors; fine for cutting. June to Sept.

1847—Complete Mixture of Perennial Scabiosa.

ROCK GARDEN GEMS

1766—GIANT BUTTERCUP (Ranunculus). Giant Camellia Flowered Mixed. hhp. 2 ft. Special strain.

1836—SAXIFRAGA (Rock-foil). Mixed Species. Highly interesting and desirable for rocky or wall, admired for pretty foliage and flowers.

1832—SAPONARIA Ocmoides Splendens (Soapwort). hp, 1 ft. An elegant trailing perennial with showy rose flowers throughout the spring.

1883—SHAMROCK. True Irish. Used by St. Patrick as a symbol for and explanation of the Trinity.

1894—SILENE SCHAFTA. hp, 6 in. Trailing rosy purple flowers. July—October.

2016—THYMUS Serpyllum (Mother of Thyme). hp, 2 in. For stepping stones. Creeping plants, sweet scented foliage, purple flowers.

1782—ROCK GARDEN PERENNIALS. A special mixture of the best perennials for your rockery.

THALICTRUM 2013—Dipterocarpum. hp, 4 ft. A real gem among hardy plants, graceful sprays of violet-mauve flowers brightened by a bunch of lemon-yellow stamens. Flowers June and July.

THERMOPSIS. Perennial herbs of the Pea family. Lupin like plants. Good for bold effects.

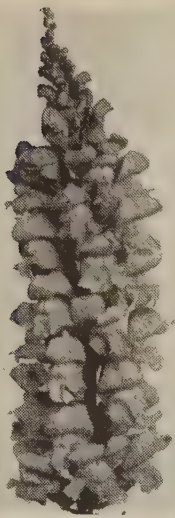
2017—Carolinniana. 4 ft. Yellow pea like blossoms in midsummer. Blooms in June and July.

ANNUALS for FALL SOWING — Nature's Way

Fall Sown, these produce Sturdier Plants, Earlier Bloom, Longer Stems.

The purpose in fall planting is not to germinate the seed in Autumn, but to get the seed in place, ready to grow with the first favorable weather of spring. Plant slightly deeper than in spring. Protect the sides of beds with boards to prevent washing seeds away. Apply a protective mulch as soon as the ground freezes. Ideal planting time is just before the ground freezes.

From Philadelphia southward—Larkspur may be sown in September so that the seeds may germinate in the fall. With a protective mulch after the ground freezes, they will live over winter, and give extra early long stemmed flowers. From Washington D.C. southward, Sweetpeas too can be handled this way. From Southern Virginia southward add to these Antirrhinum, Dianthus, Phlox, Poppy, Calendula.



(Snapdragon)



Lavatera (Mallow)



Nemophila Mixed (Baby Blue Eyes)



Sweetpea, Cuthbertsons Mixed

SWEET ALYSSUM. Everblooming.

Dwarf plants, covered with fragrant bloom.
72—Violet Queen. 5 in. Rich deep violet.
61—Carpet of Snow. (Procumbens) 2½ in. Compact masses of snow white.
63—Little Dorrit. 5 in. Compact, white.
67—Primrose Queen. 4 in. Primrose yellow.
73—Complete Mixture of Alyssum.

ALYSSUM, NEMOPHILA, CANDYTUFT and ESCHSCHOLTZIA are admirably suited for sowing on bulb beds to hide the foliage when it dies back.

SNAPDRAGONS

Giant Rustproof Antirrhinum. Delightful for beds or cutting, and for winter bloom in a sunny window.
142—Tetra Snaps. 2½ ft. Giant Ruffled Tetraploid Snapdragons Special Mixture. Largest flowered of all Snapdragons. Plants are very vigorous. Color range is complete.
137—Maximum or Super Giants Mixed. 2¾ ft. Tallest of all Snapdragons. Large flowers on long stems are well suited for cutting. Pkt. 10c; 25c; ½ oz. 50c; ¼ oz. 85c; ½ oz. \$1.50.
151—Majus Grandiflorum Mixed. Semi-Tall. 2 ft. Of medium height producing flowers abundantly.
152—Deluxe Mixed. All types.

ANNUAL CANDYTUFT

440—Coronaria, Giant Hyacinth Flowered. 18 in. Tree like, each branch terminating in a big spike of pure white. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c.
447—Umbellata Mixed. 1 ft. A mixture of many rich colors.
389—CALLIOPSIS (Tickseed). 3 ft. Single and double complete Mixture.
352—CALANDRINA (Rock Purselane) 6 in. Bright red clusters, succulent.

CALENDULA or Pot Marigold Fine cut flowers, also nice for beds or for growing indoors in winter.

378—Pacific Beauty Mixed. A pastel Mixture of this new Heat resistant type. 4-5 in. flowers. Pkt. 25c.
374—Yellow Colossal. Bright yellow.
375—Complete Mixture of Calendulas.

BACHELOR'S BUTTON

Showy in the garden and valuable for cutting. Centaurea cyanus. Ha. 3 ft.
511—Red, 509—Blue Boy, 510—Pink, 512—White.
516—Jubilee Gem. Deep blue. Dwarf.
513—Complete Mixture of Centaurea.
CLARKIA or Rocky Mountain Garland.
557—Double Mixed. 2 ft. All colors.
561—Novelty Clarkia Mixed. Pkt. 25c.

DIANTHUS—Pinks

717—Hedwegii. Mixed. A complete mixture of single and double, fringed and plain edged.
715—Hedwegii Double Mixed. A mixture of laciniated and plain edged.
705—Chinese Pinks. 16 in.

DWARF CUP FLOWER

Nierembergia Hippomanica 6 in.
1444—Purple Robe. Dwarf plant smothered with sparkling deep lavender.

CALIFORNIA POPPIES (Eschscholtzia)

1 ft. Easily grown, everblooming, showy. Finely cut silvery foliage. Richly colored flowers. Fine for bulb beds.
816—Aurantiaca. Rich bright yellow.
822—Splendid Prize Mixture. Rich colors in a mixture of single, double, fringed and fluted.
GAILLARDIA or Blanket Flower.
847—Lorenziana, 18 in. Large double flrs. in many colors, some variegated.

GYPSOPHILA (Angel's Breath)

Cloudlike flowerheads are so graceful and light indispensable for bouquets.
931—Grandiflora alba. Lge. fldw. white.
934—Complete Mixture.
CHINESE FORGET-ME-NOT, Cyanoglossum. 18 in.
634—Firmament. Dwarf, sky blue flrs.
636—Complete Mixture Cyanoglossum.
1022—HUNNEMANNIA (Mexican Tulip Poppy). 2 ft. Bright yellow 3 in. flowers. Light gray-green foliage.
1136—LAVATERA Trimestris Splendens. 3 ft. Improved tree mallow. Mixed colors.

MATRICARIA, Feverfew.

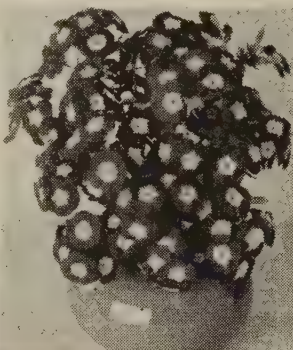
1327—Ball Double White. From select plants, 100% double. Pure white. Our finest. Pkt. 25c.
1330—Golden Ball. 8 in. Rich yellow.
1333—Complete Mixture.
NIGELLA (Love in a Mist)
1450—Miss Jekyll. 18 in. Blue.
1451—Mixed. Blue and white.

PETUNIA

1628—Rosy Morn Improved. 12" Brilliant rose with broad white throat.
1633—Nana Compacta Complete Mix-

ANNUAL POPPIES

1508—Double Shirley, Begonia flowered, 12". Fully double frilled flowers.
1509—Complete Mixture of Shirley.
PHLOX DRUMMONDII For fall sowing in the South only. Seedlings begin blooming when small.
Gigantea—Largest flowered of annual Phlox. 10 in.
1665—Rosy Morn. Rose pink, white eye.
1666—Red Glory. Brilliant red.
1667—Salmon Glory. Salmon pink.
1664—Art Shades. Soft pastels.
1668—Gigantea Mixed.
1677—Grandiflora complete mixture.



Phlox Drummondii Mixed.



Nierembergia Hippomanica

The Best SWEETPEAS

CHRISTMAS SPENCER or Early

Begins blooming about a month earlier than the Giant Spencer type.
1977—SPECIAL MIXTURE of Christmas Spencers. A blended mixture of the best varieties for a complete balanced mixture of colors. Pkt. 10c; Gt. Pkt. 25c; 1 oz. 45c; ¼ lb. \$1.35.

1995—GIANT STANDARD SPENCER SWEET PEAS

in carefully blended mixture of all colors. More vigorous and withstand heat better than Christmas Spencer. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c; ¼ lb. 55c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

2002—CUTHBERTSON'S HEAT RESISTANT SWEET PEAS

Very heat resistant, begin blooming about 2 weeks earlier than the Standard Spencer. Flowers are fully as large, stems are strong and long. Choice mixture of all colors in balanced blend. Pkt. 10c; Gt. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 45c; oz. 75c; ¼ lb. \$2.00.

1999—RUFFLED AND FRILLED MIXED. A specially prepared blend of all the best ruffled and frilled varieties. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c; 1 oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

1972—ALL SEASONS MIXTURE. A blend of Early, Cuthbertsons and standard for blooms early to late. Pkt. 10c; 25c; oz. 45c; ¼ lb. \$1.35.

LARKSPUR DOUBLE GIANT IMPERIAL

Prefer Fall Planting

The Giant Imperial Larkspurs, 4-5 ft.; with base branching, upright growth and long delphinium-like spikes of double, closely spaced florets, are marvelous in beauty.

1099—*BLUE BELL. Beautiful azure blue.
1101—*CARMINE KING IMPROVED.
1104—*DAZZLER. Rich scarlet shaded cinnamon. A pleasing different and worthwhile color.
1106—*LILAC KING. Lilac lavender color.
1109—*PINK KING. One of the earliest flowering of them all. Closely spaced full double 2 in. florets of lovely soft vibrant rose color.
1110—*PINK PERFECTION. A lovely "up to date" Larkspur. Basal branching 24 in. spikes are closely spaced with 2 in. florets of rounded broad petals in a luscious shade of light pink and salmon blend. Magnificent.
1112—*ROSE KING. Huge, rich, deep rose.
1113—*SWEET LAVENDER. Light lavender.
1114—*WHITE KING. The outstanding white Larkspur of the decade. Flowers glistening pure white with rounded petals.
1115—*SPECIAL IMPERIAL GIANT MIXTURE. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 35c; oz. \$1.20.

THE NEW LARKSPUR "SUPREME"

Entirely new, of Giant Imperial Type with stronger growth, 20% longer stems, more fully double florets, broader petals, closely spaced on 5 ft. stems.

1124—*SUPREME MIXED. Pkt. 25c; ¼ oz. 85c; oz. \$2.85.
1094—*REGAL FINEST MIXED. Basal branching, tremendously long, thick spikes of Delphinium-like flowers, beautiful colors. Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 60c; ¼ oz. \$1.00.
1092—Regal and Supreme Mixed. Finest Larkspur mixture in the world. Pkt. 25c; ¼ oz. \$1.00.



Larkspur "Supreme"

For separate colors Larkspur Supreme & Regal, & Sweet Peas see Spring Catalog.

SEEDS OF CHOICE WINDOW PLANTS

FOR CHEERFUL BLOOM in your Window, Greenhouse or Conservatory this winter. A gardening thrill is in store for you if you have never raised your window plants from seeds. Plant the seeds now for flowers this winter. 2136—A Mixture of easily grown varieties. Pkt. 10c; 3 pkts. 25c.

PRICES: ALL SEEDS—Pkt. 10c; 11 for \$1.00. Giant Pkt. 25c—11 for \$2.00.



Tuberous-rooted Begonias

FIBROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS
Unsurpassed for winter bloom. Seed though very fine, germinates readily if kept uniformly moist.

Tall Class—12 in. (Semperflorens)

- 310—Christmas Cheer. Crimson rose.
- 311—Christmas Pink. Bright pink.
- 312—Christmas White. White.
- 322—Gustav Knaake. 8-10". Fiery crimson. Large flowers. Pkt. 25c.
- 315—Complete Mixture Begonia Tall.
- 309—Dwarf Class—6-8 in. Mixed.

TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS.
Start seeds now for bloom all spring and summer. Large fls. often 6 in. 316—Double-flowered Mixed. Pkt. 25c. Double Flowered colors: 3313—White; 3315—Orange; 3317—Red; 3314—Rose; 3316—Scarlet; 3318—Yellow; 316—Mixed; 319—Single Flowered Mixed. 320—Complete Mixture Tuberous Begonias.

- 26—AGAPANTHUS. Blue Lily of the Nile. Umbels of big blue bells.
- 56—ALOE Variegata (Tiger Aloe).

AMARYLLIS. Seeds of separate colors are quite limited. Our supply comes from Holland and will be booked for shipment when new crop is ready in Fall.

- 91—Scarlet; 92—Orange; 93—Pink. Above: 2 seeds 25c; 10 seeds \$1.00. 94—White. 2 seeds 35c; 8 seeds \$1.00. 82—Hybrida Mixed. Saved from a fine collection. Many colors are represented, but no certain colors should be expected. 6 seeds 10c; 20 seeds 25c; 100 seeds \$1.00.
- 81—Formosissima (Sprekelia or Jacobean Lily) Unique form, Crimson flowers. Limited supply. Pkt. 25c.

FLOWERING MAPLE—Abutilon.
4—New Hybrids. 3 ft. Pendant flowers 1-3" long vary in color from red to yellow and white. Maple like leaves. Pkt. 10c; 25c.

- 3A—Giant Hybrids. Flowers larger and colors more varied. Pkt. 25c.

CALCEOLARIA—Pouch Flower
Unique pocket-like flowers cover the entire top of a well grown plant. 355—Duplex Hybrids. Something really new in houseplants. Each flower has a double pouch. 40 seeds 25c. 361—Giant Tigred and Spotted Mixed. 356—New Dwarf Compact. 9 in. Many brilliant colors. Plants are more easily handled. 359—Complete Mixture Calceolaria.

CINERARIA. (Senecio)
Beautiful window plants which are easily started from seeds. Sow now for mid winter bloom.

- 546—Cremers Prize Strain. 1 ft. All the choice colors are represented in this very free flowering strain.
- 548—Howard and Smith's Strain. Has the largest individual florets.
- 552—Complete Mixture.



Calceolaria, Pouch Flower

349—CACTUS ORNAMENTAL
Weird and curious stem formations with richly hued and feathery flowers followed by "jewel" fruits.

- 392—CAMELLIA japonica. fl. pl. Large double and single flowers, finest mixed colors. Hardy south, conservatory north. 6 seeds 25c.

1794—SAINTPAULIA — AFRICAN VIOLET. Mrs. Odom's Magnificent Strain. Seed saved from a fine collection of many varieties including all colors. Pkt. (50 seeds) 25c; 250 seeds \$1.00. Seeds are very fine. Open pkt. over white paper. We cannot replace these very expensive seeds.

COLEUS, Flame Nettle
Luxuriant foliage for winter decoration. Will live with little sun.

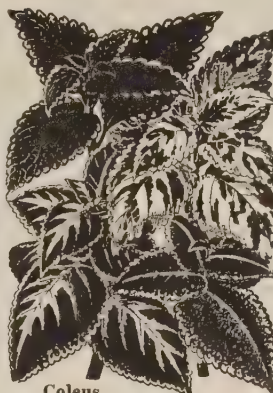
- 582—Pride of Montferland. A new strain distinguished by its beautiful colors and robust growth. Pkt. 25c.
- 583—Rainbow Hybrids Mixed.
- 581—Small Leaved Hybrids. Bright and varied in color.
- 584—Complete Mixture of Coleus.

CYCLAMEN—Shooting Stars
Seeds sown in summer or fall will produce flowering plants for the following fall and winter. Seeds in about two months.

- 629—Extra Select Strain Mixed. Includes all Cyclamen colors. 3 seeds 10c; 10 seeds 25c; 100 seeds \$2.25. Plants: 75c ea.; 3 for \$1.50.
- 626—Christmas Holly. Color of the Holly berry. 3 seeds 25c.
- 628—Double Mixed (Voght's) Fully double flowers in all colors. 3 seeds 25c; 15 seeds \$1.00.
- 809—EXACUM Affine—Richly fragrant. 12 in. Flowers bright blue with golden stamens. Likes warm temperature. Seeds are very fine and must be treated with care. Pkt. 25c.
- FERN Spores: (Dustlike in size)
- 833—Greenhouse Varieties. Pkt. 25c.
- 834—Hardy Blend.

LADIES EARDROPS—Fuchsia.
Pollination is all done by hand to insure that the crosses are accurate and the seed will have hybrid vigor.

- 839—FUCHSIA Hybrids Mixed. Single and double flowers. Outer petals reflexed and so colored as to contrast beautifully with inner petals. Produces flowers thruout the entire winter. 10 seeds 10c; 30 seeds 25c.
- 865—Bodger's Superlative Mixture. Produced by crosses on plants having America Fuchsia Society "A" and "B" ratings only. Including pastels. 10 seeds 25c; 50 seeds \$1.00.
- IMPATIENS—Patience or Sultana In bloom every month of the year.
- 1031—Holstii Hybrids. 2 ft. Mixed.
- 1033—Sultani. 15" Dwarf carmine.
- 1034—Sultani Hybrids. Dwarf Mixed.
- 1039—Extra Dwarf Hybrids. Pkt. 25c.
- 1032—Complete Mixture.



Coleus

- 1077—KALANCHOE Globulifera Coccinea Succulent. Scarlet fls.

GIANT GLOXINIAS

Flowers are large, bell shaped, and of the most brilliant colors. Easily grown tho the seeds are small and need care in germinating.

- 880—White, 881—Tigred & Spotted Mix., 878—Scarlet & white, 879—Violet and white; 8880—Blue, 884—Red.

- 3878—Ruffled Crimson. Pkt. 25c.
- 3879—Cherry red, and white. Pkt. 25c.
- 882—Complete Mixture. Made from above and all other known colors.

GERANIUM (Pelargonium)
Botanically this is Pelargonium zonale which is the Geranium grown and loved in window gardens.

- 1550—Complete Mixture of colors. Most of the flowers will come single.
- 1551—Flowerland Hybrids. A fine Hybrid strain saved from named varieties. 10 seeds 25c; 50 seeds \$1.00.

PRIMROSES for Winter Bloom
1744—Primula Obconica Mixed Colors. Produces the largest flowers of any Primrose. Brilliant varied colors. 1738—Primula Malacoides Complete Mixture. Blooms in about 4 months from seeds. Graceful flowers.

Chinese Giant Fringed Primulas.
Easily grown these come quickly into bloom. Plants are dwarf and compact. This is our preference.

- 1734—Choice Mixed of all colors.
- 1730—Double flowered Mixed.
- 1745—Chinese star sorts mixed.

NOTE: It is essential that Primula seeds have complete darkness in which to germinate. Cover pot.

1955—STREPTOCARPUS HYBRIDS
Commonly known as Cape Primrose, the flowers trumpet shaped, about 2" long and very graceful, and wonderfully varied in color.

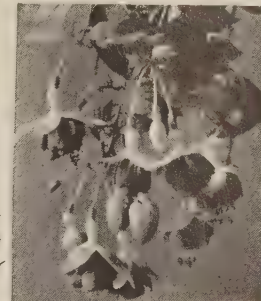
- SCHIZANTHUS—Butterfly Flower
- 1880—Schizanthus Complete Mixture.
- SOLANUM—Ornamental Peppers.
- 1900—Complete mixture.

PASSION VINE (Passiflora). Magnificent flowers of unusual structure. Tendril climbing vines. 1547—Complete Mixture. Passiflora.

PLANTS: See page 4



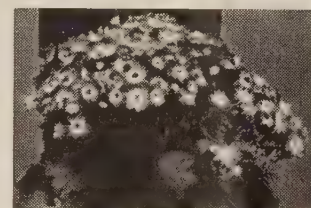
Geranium, Zonale



Fuchsia (Lady's Eardrops)



Hybrid Amaryllis



Cineraria California Super Giants



Cyclamen



Saintpaulia, African Violet



Primula, Chinese Giant Fringed



Giant Gloxinias

For a gardening thrill, make your window a garden this winter—It's easy with Park's Seed.

Bulbs to Bloom in Your Window



Giant Hybrid Amaryllis 35c each.

AMARYLLIS—Giant Hybrids.

There are vast differences in the quality of the various strains of Amaryllis being offered, and we believe that our stock contains a much larger percentage of the full rounded petals and bright solid colors than is usually available.

MIXED COLORS

Blooming size (2 1/4") 40c ea; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.75.
Giant Bulbs (3") 55c ea; 3 for \$1.50; 12 for \$5.50.
EXTRA SELECT STRAIN. Colors brighter better than above. (2 1/2") 50c ea; 3 for \$1.35.
Margaret Rose. 8" wide open blooms of deep rose.
Dark Red Bonnet. 8" wide open, dark red.
Giant White. 8" bloom, white with pink lines.
Named kinds above: \$1.35 each; all three for \$3.25.
PURE WHITE GIANT. Holland grown. \$2.50 each.
AMARYLLIS Formosissima (Sprekelia or Jacobean Lily). Unique in form, beautiful crimson in color. 40c each.
GLOXINIA BULBS: Named varieties in mixture. Top size 50c each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50; 12 for \$5.00.
TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS. Double Camellia Flwd. Crimson, Rose, Salmon, Scarlet, White, Yellow and Mixed. 35c each; 3 for 95c; 12 for \$3.40 topsize.
Carnation Flowered Mixed. 40c ea; 3 for \$1.10.
Pendula Mixed. 40c each; 3 for \$1.10.
Single Frilled Mixed. 35c each; 3 for 95c.

CHEERFUL BABIANA

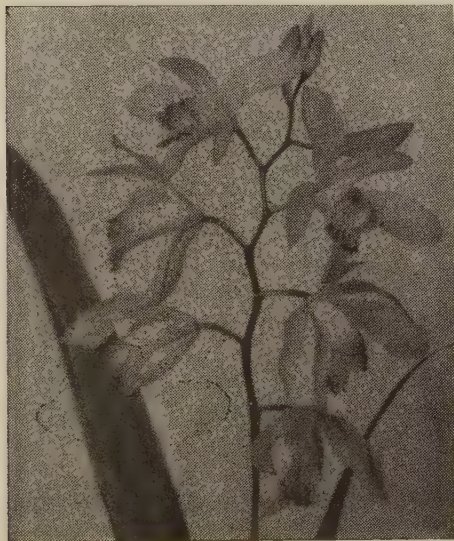
From South Africa, this low growing plant of the Iris Family has sword shaped leaves and showy spike-like clusters of bright colored flowers. We offer a mixture of colors varying from rich reds to purples and blues. 3 for 30c; 6 for 50c; 12 for 95c.

THE GRACEFUL FREESIAS are Fragrant

One of the most fragrant of indoor winter flowering plants. Plant 12 bulbs in a 6 inch pot of good fibrous soil for bloom from January on. For best results grow at a moderately low temperature, about 50 degrees.
FREESIA Tecolote Hybrids. A giant flowered strain. Blue; Pink; Red; White; Light Yellow or Mixed. 12 for 65c; 100 for \$4.50.
GLORY LILY. Gloriosa Rothschildiana. Exotic, waxy, flowers with sharply recurved petals of brilliant crimson and golden yellow. A spectacularly beautiful climber for your window. 95c each.
Small bulbs usually bloom 1st year started early 35c each.

UNUSUAL HARDY BULBS

HARDY ORCHID. Lady's Slipper. (Cypripedium Montanum). This lovely hardy novel orchid is a hardy species from Montana. 2 ft. high. Large flowers 4-6 in. long brownish green petals with 1 in. lip of white. Flower resembles a dainty Lady's slipper—\$1.00 each.



BLEITILLA Hyacinthina
Hardy Chinese Orchid

Very choice plant which is perfectly hardy. 12 inch stems bear 7 to 8 large, orchid-shaped flowers. Plant in the open or in pots.
B350—Lavender, 65c each; 3 for \$1.75.
B351—Pure White. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.
One of each for \$1.40.



White Calla—40c each

EXOTIC CALLAS

Perfect wax like flowers, beautiful foliage.
GIANT WHITE (Aethiopica). Large velvety white. BULBS: 45c ea; 3 for \$1.15; 12 for \$3.85
DWARF WHITE (Godfrey). Flowers smaller, but more freely produced. 45c ea; 3 for \$1.15.
Callas above: Aug. Delivery. Below: Nov.
DWARF PINK (Rehmannii superba). From South Africa, this is a lovely light pink. 50c ea.
YELLOW (Elliottiana). Bright Golden Yellow flowers. Emerald leaves, mottled white. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$4.00.
SPOTTED LEAVED WHITE (Richarda albo maculata). Creamy white flowers with purplish throat. Leaves of emerald green, mottled white. 40c each; 3 for \$1.10; 12 for \$4.00.
LACHENALIA—for Valentines Day
Yellow Lachenalia (Aurea). Golden yellow pendulous flowers, about 25 to a stem. Blooms in February about 3 months after planting bulbs. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.25.
LYCORIS Radiata—(Spider Lily)
Rosy-red flowers are interesting and artistic. Blooming size bulbs: 25c each; 12 for \$2.40.
OXALIS—A choice basket plant. Fine for winter pots or hanging baskets We offer the following colors separate or in bledred Mixture: Yellow; Rose Pink; White; Lavender. 12 for 45c; 100 for \$3.25.
VELTHEIMIA Viridifolia. Produces about 50 reddish tubular flowers 1 1/2 in. long on 16" stem. Excellent formation and striking foliage makes it an unusually fine pot plant. Easily grown. 65c ea; 3 for \$1.50.
ZEPHYRANTHES—Rain Lilies make delightful pot plants.
Californica—cream. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15.
Candida—white. 3 for 20c; 12 for 60c.
Rosea—Large rose. 15c ea; 3 for 40c.
Ajax—Cream yellow. 20c each, 3 for 50c.



Black Calla—65c each
Arum Pictum. Odorless, Giant black-purple flowers, bright violet spathe. 65c ea; 3 for \$1.75.

THE MAGIC COLCHICUMS

Blooms without soil or water in Sept. Fragrance is that of honey in the honeycomb. Planted outdoors 4" deep they will bloom every fall for years.
AUTUMNALE. Large lavender flowers or white if flowered in dim light. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.50.
ALBUM. Pure white. 45c ea.
DOUBLE (Roseum Pl. double rosy lilac). 50c ea; 3 for \$1.35.
SPECIOSUM. Deep rose, very large, late flowering. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.
STERNBERGIA LUTEA. Golden Yellow. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00.
(F13) One of each. 5 Colchicums \$1.95.

Other bulbs which are ideally suited for winter blooming indoors: Hyacinths, Daffodils, Tulips, Scillas, Grape Hyacinths, Crocus, Bulbous Iris, Anemone, Ranunculus.



Richly Fragrant Ornithogalum

Arabicum (Star of Bethlehem). Shining white with glossy black eye. A fine Easter flower. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$7.75.

HARDY ORNITHOGALUM UMBELLATUM.

Narrow foliage striped white, producing white flowers on 10" stems. 3 for 30c; 12 for 95c; 100 for \$5.75.



PAPER WHITE NARCISSI

Favorites as a decoration for the living room during coldest winter. French grown stock is much superior but until now has not been available since before the war. French grown: 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.35. SOLEIL D'OR. 15c each; The Golden Paper White. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.35.



THE MAGIC COLCHICUM—Autumnale. 35c ea.

FIRST FLOWERS TO BLOOM IN SPRING



Winter Aconites—12 for 55c

ANEMONE CORONARIA

Showy Buttercup flowers in many charming colors, bloom in May and June. Plant bulbs 3" deep in cool, moist, but well drained place. Not hardy north of Washington, D. C., and fall planting must be done in pots for indoors north. Monarch de Caen. Single Poppy Flowered. A magnificent strain with brilliant and varied colors from pink to beautiful shades of blue and scarlet. Mixed colors only. 3 for 20c; 12 for 55c; 100 for \$4.00.

St. Brigid "Creagh Castle". Large semi-double flowers. Brilliant hues and delicate shades. Mixed colors only. 3 for 25c; 12 for 75c; 100 for \$4.75.

HARDY ANEMONE APENNINA. Beautiful single bright blue flowers. A gem for the rock garden or shady border. Height 1½ ft. Blooms late spring. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75.

CALIFORNIA HYACINTHS—Brodiaeas Slender stems capped with heads of showy star-shaped blooms. 15-20" high blooming in May and June. 12 for 55c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.75.

CAMASSIA Leichtlini, Blue

Few hardy bulbous plants are so at home in almost any climatic or soil condition, or give more attractive bloom. Hardy without protection, they thrive in sunny garden, or woodland shade. Flower stems are 1½ ft. tall, with as many as a hundred 1½" star-shaped blue flowers. 25c each; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.25.

CHIONODOXA—Glory of the Snow.

5 in. tall. Pretty, star-shaped, lively blue flowers are produced in abundance in early spring. 12 for 45c; 25 for 75c; 100 for \$2.50.

BLEEDING HEART—Dicentra

Long racemes of graceful, heart-shaped pink flowers borne above airy, fern-like foliage in May and June. Hardy and perfectly at home in any part of the border, especially valuable for planting in the shade. Height 1½ ft. Dormant 2-3 eye roots: 65c each; 3 for \$1.75.

ERYTHRONIUM—Dog's Tooth Violets

Richly mottled foliage, and dainty, unusual flowers with recurving petals borne in early spring.

Californicum. (Fawn Lily) 10 in. Leaves strongly mottled. Large cream colored flowers.

Giganteum (Oregonum) 1 ft. White flowers.

Tuolumensis. New golden yellow flowers.

Hendersoni. Flowers are lovely light purple with deep maroon blotch in center. Very striking.

Mixed species. A fine blended mixture.

Any above: 3 for 25c; 12 for 85c; 100 for \$6.50.

EREMURUS (Foxtail Lily or Desert Candle) Shelford Hybrids

Most spectacular and hardiest of the desert members of the Lily family. Above the dense basal rosette of leaves will arise in May or June giant 8 ft. stalks covered for half their length with close-set starry blooms which last for several weeks. A stately border subject or a fine florist cut flower. Shades of yellow, salmon, pink and bronze in Hybrid mixture. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.25.

Ask for prices on other varieties.

WINTER ACONITE (Eranthis)

The first flower of spring. Golden yellow flowers with green frilled collars. Especially valuable in moist shady situations. Bloom about two weeks before the Crocus and often pop into bloom during a mild spell in winter. 12 for 55c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.75.

FRITILLARIA Meleagris—Mission Bells

In April and May appear pendent, bell-shaped flowers in curiously checkered shades of yellow, white, purple and brown. Mixture of colors. 12 for 45c; 25 for 85c; 100 for \$3.20.

BABY GLADIOLUS Tecolote Hybrids.

Hardy with some protection south of Washington, these may be forced in well lighted windows where the temperature can be kept moderate about 50 degrees, or in the greenhouse for bloom in April and May from November planted bulbs. A well blended mixture of colors. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$6.50.



Muscari (Grape Hyacinth)

HYACINTHUS PLUMOSUS—Plume Hyacinth

A most unusual and fascinating flower, bearing in May, handsome feathery plumes of violet-colored flowers. Grows 8-10 inches tall. 12 for 45c; 25 for 85c; 100 for \$3.00.

The EMERALD FLOWER (Ixia)

VIRIDIFLORA. Dainty and of most unusual coloring. Flowers are emerald green with pitch black center. No color like it is found in any other flower. 14-inch stem carries 12-15 fls. 35c each; 3 for 85c; 12 for \$2.35. Limited supply. Requires extra winter protection north.

Fragrant IRIS RETICULATA

For Christmas bloom.

Although it is perfectly hardy with reasonable protection and is one of the treasures of the rockery or garden, its main value lies in the fact that it may be forced into bloom for Christmas in the house. 10 in. high. The flower is rich, almost dazzling violetblue, with a lip on which is borne a bright golden segment surrounded by a black and white area, which gives an almost tigerskin-like appearance. Sweet Violet scent, flower shaped like the Dutch Iris. 15c each; 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00. Supply limited.

MUSCARI—Grape Hyacinth

Delicate spires of blue that loom up like so many fairy sceptres. Beautiful for edgings and groups, charming in the rockery or beneath trees and shrubs. Completely hardy, but may be forced for winter bloom. Grow 6 inches tall and bloom just as the Crocus are fading. Heavenly blue. The finest clearest blue. 12 for 45c; 25 for 85c; 100 for \$2.95.

White Beauty. Pure white. 12 for 35c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.75.

PUSCHKINIA LIBANOTICA

Produces a wealth of creamy white flowers marked with china-blue stripes. Prized for the permanent hardy border and rock garden, they will grow in sun or shade, and may be left undisturbed for many years. Also may be forced for indoor winter bloom. Grows 5 inches tall and blooms in April. 12 for 40c; 25 for 75c; 100 for \$2.50.

SCILLA—Forest Hyacinths

From the cold climate of Siberia, these brave little plants endure the hardships of wind, rain and late snow to tell you spring has arrived.

Siberica Spring Beauty. An improved variety of the familiar Blue Squill. Earliest to flower, blooming with the Crocus. Has larger and more numerous flowers of brilliant rich blue, 8 inches. 12 for 55c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.75.

White Beauty. Lovely white form of Siberian Scilla. 12 for 55c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.75.

Scilla Campanulata. (Hispanica)

Bloom the same time as the Darwin Tulips and are beautiful combined with them in the border. They are most easily naturalized and will grow in bare, shady places where few other plants will grow. Require absolutely no care and will multiply and bloom better every year.

BLUE, PINK or WHITE, or Mixed. 12 for 55c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.75.

Fragrant TRITELIA—Star Flower

Triteleia Milla Uniflora violacea. Pale violet blue flowers with white centers and a delightful fragrance are produced in early spring. They spread and multiply with amazing rapidity and will do well under shrubs and trees where nothing else will grow. Hardy but likes a little protection. 3 for 20c; 12 for 55c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.75.

SNOWDROPS—Galanthus nivalis.

Belong to the most beloved and earliest flowering of spring bulbs. They require little attention and can be undisturbed for years. Grow under shrubs or trees or in the lawn. Lovely white, nodding blooms are out before the frost is out of the ground, to tell us that spring is almost here. Once planted they remain for a lifetime. 12 for 65c; 25 for \$1.25; 100 for \$3.75.

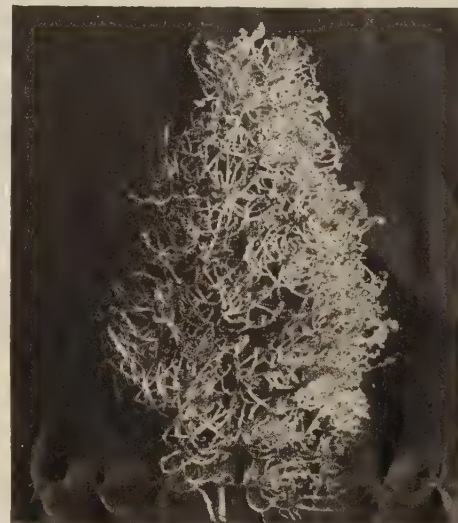
DOUBLE SNOWDROPS (G. Nivalis fl. pl.) Double form of above. 3 for 25c; 12 for 90c; 100 for \$6.00.

Mixture of "Heralds of Spring"

Early spring bulbs for naturalizing. A representative mixture. 25 for 75c; 100 for \$2.50; 1000 for \$24.00.



Scilla Siberica Spring Beauty



Hyacinthus Plumosus (Plume Hyacinth)



Erythronium—3 for 25c.



RANUNCULUS Tecolote Hybrids.

This is the largest and has the most magnificent coloring of all Ranunculus strains. Giant double Camellia type blooms, and huge, brilliant semi-doubles. Colors are bright and clear. Hardy in the South, they may be grown as indoor winter plants in the North.

Red, Yellow, Orange, Pink or White. 6 for 45c; 12 for 85c; 100 for \$5.50.

MIXED: 3 for 20c; 12 for 65c; 100 for \$4.50.

Economy Mixed: Smaller blooming size bulbs. 3 for 15c; 12 for 50c; 100 for \$3.40.



THE HOME GARDENER'S ORCHID IRIS KAEMPFERI

The finest of all Iris types, their graceful foliage and handsome giant flowers are breath-taking in exotic glamour. Excellent for specimens, or for mass plantings around a pool or along a stream.

BLUE WAVES. Wisteria Blue; gold center. 50c ea., 3 for \$1.40.
FLAMINGO. Deep rose, white in center. Very tall, profuse bloomer. Double. 75c ea.; 3 for \$2.00; 12 for \$6.75.

FASCINATION. Sunset hues which defy accurate description, but closely it is a double mauve pink lightly outlined and veined bluish white. One to a customer. \$1.00 each.

GOLD BOUND. Handsome glistening pure white with rich gold band at center. Full double. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 12 for \$7.75.

RED EMPEROR. Best deep red. Very large, early, double. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75.

REPSIME. Giant double sky-blue flowers, petals margined white. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

WILLIAM TELL. Cream white with lilac markings. 50c ea.; 3 for \$1.40; 12 for \$4.50.

COLLECTION: (F14) One of each except Fascination—6 Iris for \$3.00.

MIXTURE of above and other named varieties: 3 for \$1.50; 12 for \$4.75.

SIBERIAN IRIS. Caesar's Brother, Blue. Snow Queen, White. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00.

IRIS PUMILA—DWARF BEARDED IRIS

Among the first plants to appear, these little Iris are 10 inches tall and are just right for rockeries or dwarf borders. **Blanche.** Pure white, center touched with gold. **Butterfly.** Bright cream yellow. **SAMBO.** Dark violet blue.

45c each; 3 for \$1.15; 12 for \$4.00. One of each above for \$1.15.

SMALLEST AND MOST DAINTY OF THE IRIS FAMILY IS

IRIS CRISTATA—4-6 inches high. It has pretty crested flowers of amethyst blue touched with gold. Blooms in May. 35c each.

BEARDED IRIS

SEEDLING IRIS. From crosses of the very best varieties which should produce some valuable Hybrids. Many kinds now popular were produced from similar crosses. \$2.50 per dozen, as long as they last.

BEARDED IRIS MIXED COLORS. Made up from a fine collection of named varieties. A real bargain. 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.95; 100 for \$15.00.

DAY LILIES (Hemerocallis)

One of the most easily grown, colorful and satisfactory of perennials. Will grow in sun or semi-shade, any soil.

The following 3 at 35c ea.; 3 for 95c

Fulva. 3-4 ft. July. Orange crimson.

KWANSO. Fl. Pl. Double bronze gold. 4 ft. July.

THUNBERGI. Tall lemon yellow. July.

The following at 55c ea. 3 for \$1.50:

D. D. WYMAN. Golden yellow, tawny splash. 2½ ft. July.

GOLD DUST. 2 ft. Earliest to bloom. Rich gold.

HYPERION. 3½ ft. Enormous bright yellow.

MARGARET PERRY. Rose red and buff orange. June.

MRS. W. H. WYMAN. Clear yellow. Late August. 2½ ft.

The following at 75c ea.; 3 for \$2.00:

MODESTY. Pale lemon yellow.

MICADO. Mellow orange with large contrasting spot of mahogany-red.

ROSEA (Fulva Rosea). A fine lovely shaped flower of rose pink. \$1.25.

VULCAN. Very deep red with orange throat. \$1.00 each.

MORNING GLORY. Deep rose with ruffled and curled petals, deep orange throat. \$3.00 each.



STAR OF TEXAS. Creamy yellow 5" flowers centered by wine red star. \$2.00 ea.
ANNIS VICTORIA RUSSELL. Solid canary yellow blooms are 7-9" across. Remains open until 10 p.m. A most beautiful Day-Lily. \$2.00 ea.



BEAUTIFUL DUTCH IRIS

Dutch Iris keep well when cut, and there is no other flower which lends itself more easily to designs or arrangements. Blooming in June just after the Tulips. 12 100

GOLDEN HARVEST. Deep golden yellow..\$0.50 \$3.25

H. C. VAN VLIET. Sky blue with yellow

blotch. A striking variety..... .45 3.00

IMPERATOR. Dark blue standards; the falls soft blue with narrow orange stripe. .45 3.00

WEDGEWOOD. Standard blue; falls lighter blue. An excellent forcer..... .65 4.00

WHITE EXCELSIOR. Uniform pure white. Falls very broad. Best white. 22 inches..... .75 4.75

COLLECTION: (F15) 10 each of above for \$2.00.

DUTCH IRIS ECONOMY MIXTURE. A beautiful blend of above and other varieties. 25 for 75c; 100 for \$2.25; 1000 for \$20.00.

STRIKING, UNUSUAL, NEW DUTCH IRIS

NATIONAL VELVET. Deep, rich velvety violet-purple. An entirely new Hybrid. 25c ea.; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.25.

BRONZE QUEEN. Perfect bronze. 3 for 20c; 12 for 65c.

HUCHTENBURG. Falls orange yellow, standards palest blue passing to white. 3 for 25c; 12 for 85c.

LEMON QUEEN. Beautiful lemon yellow standards, slightly crenated sulphur yellow falls. 3 for 25c; 12 for 85c.

GOLDEN LION. This ruffled golden yellow Spanish Iris has created a sensation whenever shown. 25c ea.; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.25.

REGELIA-CYCLUS HYBRIDS. Perfectly hardy to the coldest weather. Huge blooms unusual in color and markings. We offer a mixture of 10 named varieties. 30c ea.; 12 for \$1.00.

RETICULATA. Pictured in color second cover. Blossoms before Crocus opens, sometimes in the snow. 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$5.00.



The Charming Crocus Bring Spring With Them

Easily grown in sun or shade—in the lawn, flower borders, rock garden, and for pots for winter bloom. One of the earliest spring flowers. 25 at the 100 rate.

	12	100	1000
LARGE BULBS FOR BIGGEST BLOOM			
ENCHANTRESS. Clear porcelain blue.....	\$2.75	\$22.50	
GRAND LILAS. Light lavender.....	2.75	22.50	
PURPUREA GRANDIFLORA. Deep purple.....	2.75	22.50	
SNOW STORM. pure white.....	3.25	27.50	
STRIPED BEAUTY. lilac, striped white.....	55	3.25	27.50
YELLOW MAMMOTH. Large golden yellow.....	60	3.50	32.50
GIANT MIXED of above varieties.....	40	2.50	22.50
ECONOMY MIXTURE. Medium blooming size	30	1.95	18.00
COLLECTION (F16) 10 each of 6 varieties above.			

60 large Crocus bulbs for \$2.00.

Park's Bulbs Are Unsurpassed.

DUTCH HYACINTHS →

The jubilant tones of red, rose, pink, blue and yellow enrich our gardens with heart-lifting fragrance soon after the snow is gone. No other plant requires so little coaxing, either in the garden or in the house. As house plants in bowls with bulb fibre, or on glasses filled with pure water, or in good old-fashioned clay pots and pans with garden soil, its rising spires colorful and fragrant effect a rare and perfect quality of delight.

MAMMOTH SIZE BULBS for Giant Spikes

Carefully selected, of the highest quality, these are particularly desirable for beds, borders, pots, or glasses where the largest, well filled spikes are wanted.

ANNE MARIE. A new Warm salmon pink.

CITY OF HAARLEM. Clear Naples yellow. Well formed.

GRAND MAITRE. Dark porcelain blue.

KING OF THE BLUES. Very dark blue.

JAN BOS. Deep scarlet. The finest red.

L'INNOCENCE. Best pure white. Large bells, full spikes.

PINK PEARL. Rose pink, best of its color.

25c each; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.75.

DELFT BLUE. Beautiful, unique, brilliant blue. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00. Supply limited. New.

COLLECTION. (F17) 3 each of above 8 varieties, 24 bulbs for \$4.95. (F18) 1 each of above 8, for \$1.75.

MIXED MAMMOTH BULBS. Above varieties in mixture. 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.35; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$17.00. Metal Hyacinth Cups. For forcing bulbs. 15c ea.

BEDDING HYACINTHS

For garden planting, use these medium sized bulbs and have more of them. Not recommended for forcing, but will give fine flower spikes on strong stems outdoors. Available in the same varieties offered above for Mammoth bulbs. 3 for 45c; 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25; 100 for \$12.50.

BEDDING HYACINTHS MIXED. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$11.00.

FRENCH ROMAN HYACINTHS

Hardy but may be forced for Christmas.

Each bulb produces several spikes of graceful, fragrant flowers. Known to many as Old Fashioned Single Hyacinth. **WHITE, BLUE, or PINK.** 30c each; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.85.



DUTCH HYACINTHS—A Precious source of scent and color. Pictured in color on 4th cover.

NEW HARDY LILIES OF EXCEPTIONAL MERIT

HYBRID AURATUM PLATYPHYLLUM (Gold Banded Lily)

American grown, disease free strain. The more vigorous plants produce more freely, larger flowers with better coloring than the type. Fragrant, flaring trumpets of ivory white, lightly spotted crimson with broad golden band. 6 ft. Set bulbs 10" deep. \$1.15 ea.; 3 for \$3.00.

AURATUM from Japan. December delivery. Large bulbs 65 ea.; 3 for \$1.65.

BELLINGHAM HYBRIDS. Robust 4-5 ft. plants bear pyramidal clusters of 20-30 blooms with strongly reflexed petals. Colors range from clear yellow through orange to bright reds. Plant 5" deep. Mulch. 50c ea.; 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$4.95.

MADONNA LILY (Candidum)

CASCADE HYBRIDS. Careful selection and pollination has finally produced a race of Madonna Lilies with larger flowers and unusual texture and form. Seed grown, it is disease free. Plant early 2" deep. 55c ea.; 3 for \$1.50; 12 for \$5.00.

OLYMPIC HYBRIDS—A new race of Centifolium Hybrid Lilies. The finest strain of Hardy Garden Trumpet Lilies available today. Characterized by their extreme vigor, size, form coloring and good placement of the flowers, they vary in color from creamy yellow through soft fuchsia pink and cool icy green. Flowers in July. Plant 5" deep in light shade or full sun. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.00.

CONCOLOR. Gay, cheerful bright red star shaped flowers. 3 ft. stems. Fine to cut. Plant 3" deep. 45c ea.; 3 for \$1.20.

FORMOSANUM Tall Late. Latest flowering of all. Large trumpet of white with emerald green throat. Plant 5" deep. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.00.

GOLDEN CHALICE HYBRIDS. Large upturned cups of clear, bright lemon yellow through the rich warm shades of gold and apricot. Vigorous, drought resistant. June flring. 3 ft. Random sizes only. \$1.00 ea.

GREEN MOUNTAIN HYBRIDS. For exhibition, specimen planting, exceptional cut flrs. Giant white trumpets with green throats. Set 5" deep. 65c ea.; 3 for \$1.75.

GIGANTEUM Himalaicum—Giant of them all. Giant funnel shaped flrs. of white, red-purple at throat on 6-10 ft. stems. Plant 1" deep, light shade. \$1.00 each.

HENRY I—The Yellow Speciosum. 5-8 ft. Bears in late August, 20 or more golden orange, recurved, pendant flrs. Plant 6" deep, partial shade. 40c ea.; 3 for \$1.15.

JAPONICUM. Rose pink to light pink trumpets. Rare and beautiful. Ht. 3 ft. Set 4" deep, part shade. \$1.25 each;

MARTAGON. Symmetrical pyramids of recurved, waxy purple lilac flowers on 4 ft. stems. Plant 4" deep in sun. Most permanent of Lilies. 45c ea.; 3 for \$1.20; 12 for \$4.00.

MID CENTURY HYBRIDS. Jan de Graaff's Introduction reported in Saturday Evening Post last fall. Completely hardy strong growing Lilies varying in habit from pendant to large outward facing and upright types. Colors range from palest straw-yellow to deepest maroon. Mixture from 20 named varieties. Set 5" deep. \$1.95 each.

ENCHANTMENT. (Pat. 862) Best of the Mid-Centuries. Upright flowers of vivid Nasturtium-red. Vigorous, hardy, disease resistant. Set 5" deep. \$2.00 each.

REGALE—Glorious, most popular Lily. Ivory white trumpet with canary yellow throat flushed purple-rose without. Hardy easily grown. Set 6" deep. Top size Bulbs 8-9"—35 each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.45.

BLOOMING SIZE. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.95.

REGALE ALBUM. The New Pure white Regale. 90% pure white flowering. 45c each; 3 for \$1.15; 12 for \$3.95.

RAINBOW HYBRIDS. Cup shaped flowers that stand straight up. Colors vary from true golden yellow to deepest mahogany red. 65c each; 3 for \$1.65.

TENUIFOLIUM (Coral Lily) 2 ft. Scarlet flowers in June. Very hardy. Set 3" deep. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.85.

TENUIFOLIUM GOLDEN GLEAM. Golden yellow 25c ea.; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.35.

RUBRUM RED CHAMPION (Speciosum American Grown). Disease free and vigorous, this is the finest stock of this favorite Lily grown today. \$1.15 each.

SPECIOSUM RUBRUM. Dutch grown. Color picture inside cover. Rose-pink spotted crimson. Large recurved flrs. in August. 65c each; 3 for \$1.75; 12 for \$5.75.

AURELIAN HYBRIDS. Most important of all the new races of Hybrids. **DELIVERY DATES:** Candidum Aug., Sept.; most other lilies Oct., Nov.; Japanese Auratum and possibly one or two others December. Prepare your bed. Mulch heavily to prevent freezing so lilies may be planted as soon as they arrive.

HEART'S DESIRE. Shallow, widely-flared and bowl shaped flowers in shades of white, cream, yellow and orange. \$2.00 ea.

(F19)—GARDEN OF LILIES. 10 Bulbs—2 each of Regale, Auratum, Rubrum, Madonna & Olympic Hybrids for only \$4.35. (F20)—5 Lilies—One of each for \$2.35.

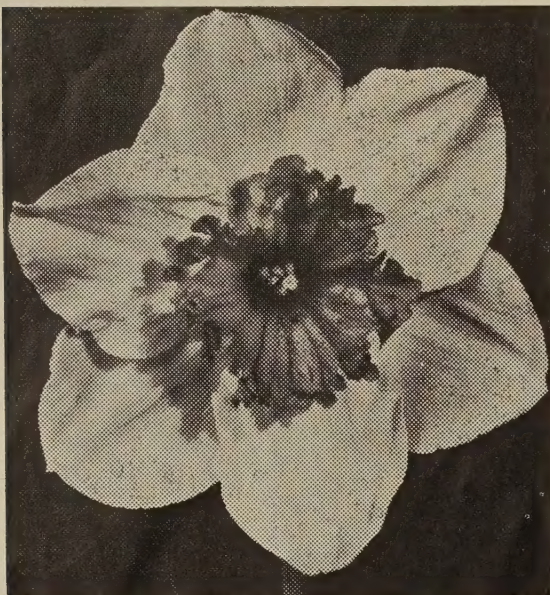


Madonna Lily—Cascade Hybrids 55c ea.

Hardy Lilies are "The Glory of any Garden".

Daffodils or Narcissi

Daffodils are the first of the major garden flowers to bloom in the spring. Doubly precious because they bring with them the joyful spring. Because so many of the hundreds of varieties of Daffodils so nearly duplicate others, we have chosen to offer a representative variety of each class and color. These have been chosen through study in our own trial grounds and close cooperation with several leading Dutch and American growers, and we can without reservation recommend each variety we offer as one of the best in its class and color.



John Evelyn

LARGE CUPPED DAFFODILS

Incomparabilis (I); Leedsil (L); Barrii (B).

Agra. Pure white perianth, large fiery red cup. Strong stem, long lasting flowers, excellent for cutting. 25c ea.; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.

Carlton. (I) A fine clear yellow self-color of great size. Flat overlapping perianth and large expanded crown frilled at the brim 15c ea.; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$9.00.

Crenver. (Barri) Largest in its class, very beautiful faultless perianth of pure white with distinct dark red eye. Excellent substance. 25c ea.; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.00.

Dick Wellband. Perianth pure white, cup flame orange. The color does not fade, but intensifies with age. Unusually long lasting. 20c ea.; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75.

Fortune. (I) Broad, creamy yellow perianth of very solid texture, crown of great size and elegant form, opening at mouth and beautifully frilled, of glowing soft orange. 20c ea.; 3 for 45c; 12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$10.00.

John Evelyn. (I) Outstanding among the new Incomparabilis Hybrids; flatly opening perianth, 4-5" across, with flat cup nearly 2" in diameter, densely frilled, the perianth being pure white without a trace of shading, and the cup lemon-yellow and fluted or shirred to the base. 20c ea.; 3 for 45c; 12 for \$1.50.

Daisy Shaeffer. (L) One of the best of the remarkable new Giant Leedsil type; the flower 4" across, with cup nearly 2". Perianth pure white, cup light canary-yellow, with a touch of green. 20c ea.; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00.

Scarlet Elegans. (I) Substantial, well formed dark yellow perianth, intensely brilliant orange-scarlet cup. 15c ea.; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$9.00.

Scarlet Leader. One of the most sensational flowers of recent years. Vivid red, well expanded cup, pure white perianth. A show winner. 25c ea.; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00.

Silver Star. Perfect broad-petaled star-shaped perianth of pure cream-white, with finely proportioned wide-mouthed trumpet of primrose changing to cream-white. Free flowering, fragrant. 25c ea.; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00.

Suda. A most beautiful flower of fine substance, pure white perianth and well formed bell-shaped short trumpet of pale amber-rose color. A show winner. 25c ea.; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$12.00.

DAFFODIL HYBRIDS

February Gold. (Cyclamineus Hyb.) Extremely early, hence the name. The flower is of distinctive, Cyclamen-like form not found in any other class of Daffodils. Golden yellow perianth is sharply reflexed, trumpet is straight and tube-like and of an orange shade. 20c ea.; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75.

Thalia. (Triandrus Hybrid). "The Orchid Flowered Narcissus". Each stem bears 2-3 open flowers of purest white. The recurving petals and the angle of the three trumpets are unlike the conventional Daffodil, and give a grace and delicacy to the flower which makes it unusually good for artistic arrangements. 20c ea.; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75.

I wandered lonely
as a cloud
That floats on
high o'er vale
and hills

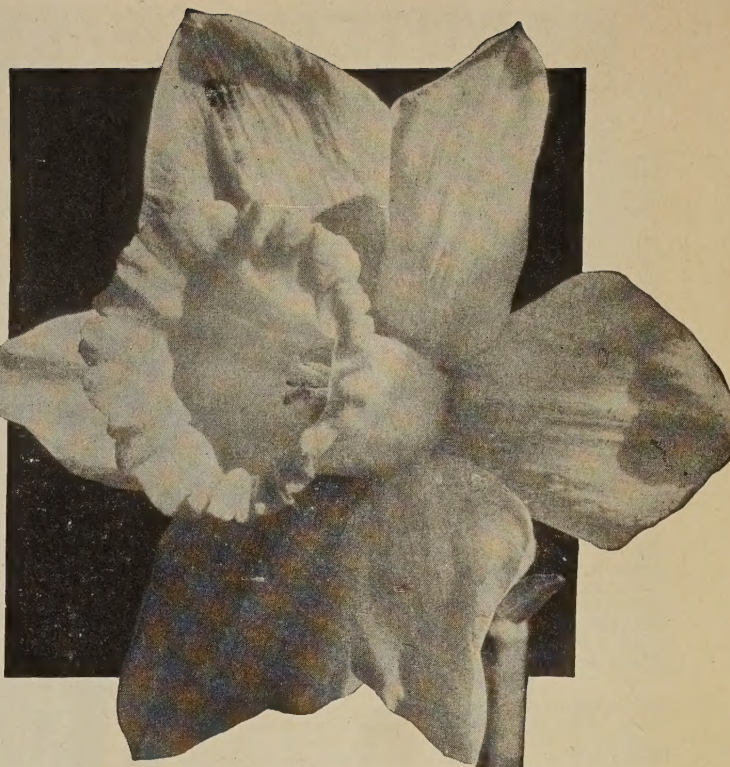
When all at
once I saw
a crowd

A host of gold-
en daffodils

Beside the lake,
beneath the
trees,

Fluttering and
dancing in the
breeze.

—Wordsworth



Golden Harvest (Giant Trumpet)

Prices
Slashed

All bulbs—Postpaid

SHORT CUPPED DAFFODILS

Firetail. Popular the world over, broad petaled creamy white perianth and short cup of scarlet-orange. 15c ea.; 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

SWEET—CLUSTER FLOWERED

Poetaz Narcissi are very fragrant, bloom when Trumpet Daffodils fade, prolonging Daffodil season two weeks.

Cheerfulness. Three delightful creamy-white Gardenia-like flowers are borne on each strong stem. The center of each flower is touched with cream yellow. Delightfully fragrant. 15c ea.; 3 for 35c; 12 for 95c; 100 for \$7.00.

Geranium. Pure white perianth; deep orange-red cup. 4-6 extra large flowers are clustered on each good stem. Very fragrant, and a favorite wherever shown. 15c ea.; 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.10; 100 for \$8.00.

Scarlet Gem. Here is a very artistic contrast in color. Rich golden yellow perianth, bright orange-scarlet cup. 5-6 flowers borne on each strong stem. 15c ea.; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$9.00.

DOUBLE FLOWERED DAFFODILS

Daphne. Pure white, sweet scented, full double Rose-like flowers of good size. The most promising double Daffodil novelty. 15c ea.; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$9.00.

Holland Glory. Beautiful soft yellow throughout, fully double like a large Camellia 15c ea.; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.50.

Mary Copeland. Most striking double in cultivation. The longer petals are pure cream-white with a golden ray down the center interspersed with shorter petals of lemon and brilliant orange, giving a three color effect. 25c ea.; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$12.

Twink. It is double of the semi-full type, the petals alternating a soft primrose and clear orange. 25c ea.; 3 for 70c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$9.00.

Naturalizing Mixture. Shortcupped and Poets, a wide and varied assortment. 12 for 60c; 100 for \$4.00; 1000 for \$35.00.



Cheerfulness (Double Poetaz)

GIANT TRUMPET DAFFODILS

Beersheba. A magnificent Giant trumpet type of ivory white. Perfectly flat perianth, long trumpet beautifully flanged at the mouth. Flowers measure up to 5" across. 30c ea.; 3 for 80c; 12 for \$3.00.

Diotima. Considered by experts as the very best of the new super-giant trumpets; despite its huge size (5-6" across) the whole flower is beautifully proportioned. 75c ea.

Flower Carpet. A much improved King Alfred. Very free flowering, a fine keeper. 25c ea.; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00.

Golden Harvest. Undoubtedly one of the largest trumpet varieties in existence. Color is deep golden yellow. Perianth is well formed and overlapping; trumpet is rolled back at the brim. 20c ea.; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00.

Jefta. Delicately colored King Alfred seedling. Cream perianth and pale lemon trumpet slightly recurved at the mouth. Early Blooming. 30c ea.; 3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.50.

King Alfred. The expanded trumpet measures 2 1/2" across, and the perianth is proportionately large with petals gracefully twisted. Tall and vigorous. Flower is golden yellow, of elegant form. 15c ea.; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$9.00.

Largest of All. Huge wide trumpet and perianth of rich deep golden yellow. Very large, 5 1/2-6" across. New and rare. 35c ea.; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.50.

Mount Hood. A magnificent pure white Daffodil. It is strong in stem and the flower has fine substance. The trumpet is well proportioned and of purest white. 35c ea.; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.50.

Mrs. E. H. Krelage. (White King Alfred) Pure white perianth, graceful reflexing trumpet of ivory changing to white. 15c ea.; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00.

Queen of the Bicolors. Pure white perianth is broad and well overlapping; golden yellow trumpet. Large flower. Earliest bicolor. 15c ea.; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$9.50.

Mrs. R. O. Backhouse. The famous "Pink Daffodil"; fine informal perianth of ivory-white, and beautifully proportioned, slim, long trumpet of apricot pink, changing to shell-pink at the deeply fringed edge. 30c ea.; 4 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.75.

Spring Glory. A showy bicolor with large white perianth, trumpet bright yellow with open frilled mouth. Very early. A favorite. 15c ea.; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.40.

Rembrandt. Pale rich yellow flowers of perfect form and substance. 15c ea.; 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00.

Rapture. Enormous golden yellow trumpet with deep yellow overlapping perianth. A well shaped flower of excellent substance, vigorous. 20c ea.; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75.

Rosy Trumpet. Star-shaped perianth, trumpet is a deep, satin rose. Unusual and beautiful. 45c ea.; 3 for \$1.00. Limited.

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Giant Trumpet Economy Mixture. For delightful cut flowers, for mass plantings, a really brilliant showing. 6 for 45c; 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; 100 for \$5.00; 1000 for \$40.00.

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Cyclamineus Major. 20c ea;
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Bulbocodium conspicuus, yellow. 15c ea.; 3
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Trumpet minimus. 18c ea.; 3 for 45c; 12
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DUTCH HYACINTHS. From left to right are Top. King of Blues, Anne Marie, Jan Bos, Delft Blue. Bottom. Lavender, City of Haarlem, Grand Maitre; pink, Pink Pearl. Giant bulbs of those listed above in bold faced type 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.75. See page 15. Bedding size same varieties. 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.25.



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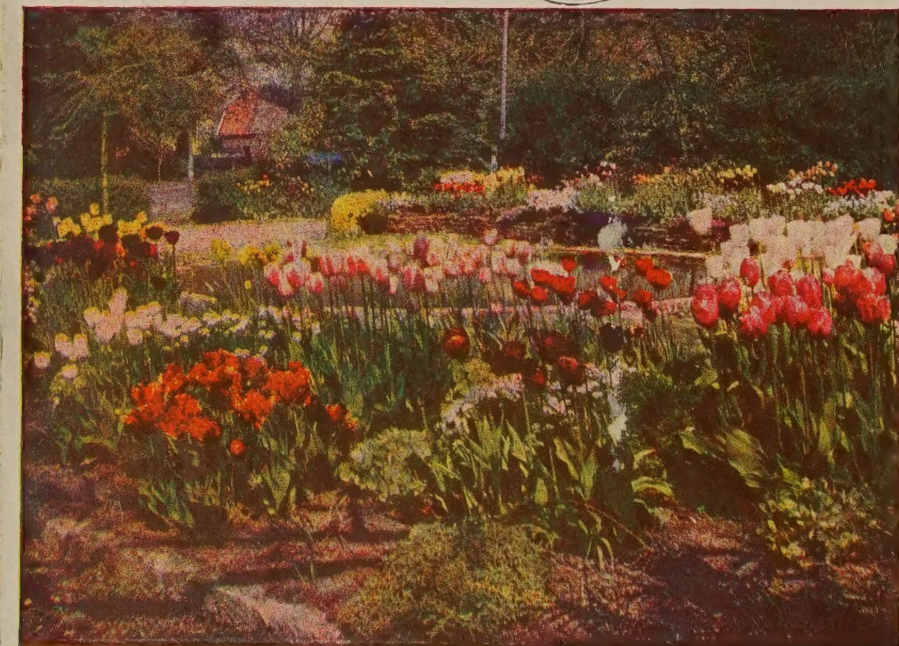
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